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## TARIFF SITUATION IS WELL IN HAND

### President Determined to Uphold Democratic Pledges at Baltimore

### SUGAR AND WOOL SCHEDULES

Growers Urge President to Save Industry in Louisiana—Conference at White House Until Late Hour Last Night.

Washington, April 5—President Wilson's profferred compromise on sugar which would mean a one cent a pound duty for three years and then free sugar was rejected tonight by Senator Ransdell, Representative Broussard and Col. Robert Ewing, Democratic National committeeman from Louisiana.

The Louisianians tonight carried to the White House a strong protest against free sugar adopted today at a meeting in New Orleans of the American Cane Growers' Association. They predicted the ruin of the industry if the President persisted in his determination to remove all duty on sugar. In turn they offered as a compromise the suggestion to the President that he endorse a 1 per cent. duty on sugar for three years with the provision that sugar be made duty free at the end of that period if in the President's opinion, it at that time was advisable.

They pointed out to the President that such a proviso would enable him to investigate the claim that a great industry would be ruined by the removal of duty and told him that he would be able to insist just as strongly upon free sugar then, if he saw fit as he is doing now.

Although the delegation was in conference with the President for more than an hour, he gave no intimation as to whether he would consider their offer of a compromise.

Chairman Underwood, of the House Ways and Means Committee, reached the White House just after the Louisanians left. He brought a copy of the completed tariff bill for the President's final approval. Mr. Underwood discussed the proposed sugar compromise briefly with the President, but it was understood that no changes were made in the bill as it left the Ways and Means Committee today. It was carried to the government printing office tonight by Mr. Underwood himself and he expects to have it in readiness for consideration of the majority members of the Senate Finance committee, which meets late tomorrow.

President Wilson tonight, virtually on the eve of the convening of Congress in extra session, was in command of the tariff situation, determined to uphold the tariff pledges of the Democratic platform adopted at Baltimore. Important additions to the tariff's free list as reported today include: Raw wool, boots and shoes, hides, leather, skins, meats, lard, salt, iron ore, lumber, agricultural implements, sewing machines, tin printers, printing presses, road machinery, news print paper, wood pulp, cotton bagging, barbed wire and steel rails.

The President was reported to have withstood renewed attacks upon the free raw wool schedule as embodied in the bill to be introduced from the Ways and Means Committee Monday and delayed decision only on the sugar schedule, left open for Senators and Representatives from Louisiana and beet sugar States to agree to accept free sugar in three years.

So firm is the President's attitude reported to be, an attitude backed by the majority of his party in both branches of Congress, that any effort of legislators to escape a caucus pledge on the wool schedule, would not be tolerated.

The President and party leaders, having agreed upon free raw wool there would be no trouble getting it through the House and the Senate leaders propose there be no kicking over the traces when it reaches a Senate caucus.

It was asserted by some leaders that efforts of Senators to dodge a caucus pledge on the wool or sugar schedules would not be tolerated. The President in talking today to Senators Walsh and Meyers, of Montana, made plain his firm position on the wool tariff, declaring that the party could not afford to place any tariff on raw wool.

Negotiations on the sugar schedule continued throughout the day, no decision having been reached at a late hour as to the position to be taken by the opponents of free sugar.

It became evident during the day that proposals had been made between the sugar and wool partisans, looking to a combination that might force the President and the Senate leaders to give some protection to both industries. This danger has worried the Senate committee for some time; but it was claimed tonight that the influence of President Wilson and the demand that all Democrats abide by the majority decision of the party, would force all but one or two Senators into a final acceptance of the proposed revision.

The sugar forces, led by Senator Ransdell and Representative Broussard, of Louisiana, were in conference with other Senators and members of the House during the day. The President's proposal of a one cent duty, with free sugar in three years, had been submitted to the sugar growers' association of the South, and it was decided to give no answer to the President until the sugar growers had been heard from.

Tonight Representative Broussard received a message from the American Cane Growers' Association stating that the President's proposal had been discussed by the association at a meeting in New Orleans today and it was unanimously agreed that a duty of one

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## BANKING COMMUNITIES CLOSED

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### Small Institutions Just Organized, Angier and Macclesfield Not Up to Corporation Commission Regulations

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—The Corporation Commission sent State Bank Examiner S. A. Hubbard to Angier, Harnett county, today to close the Bank of Angier because of unsatisfactory financial condition. The bank was only opened for business March 13th, being organized by the State's Trust Co., of Wilmington.

This State's Trust Co., was chartered last November for the special purpose of organizing country banks, according to a statement made at the Corporation Commission, with authorized capital of $150,000. E. H. Smith is president, and W. O. Triver, vice president, and C. H. Bowlds, secretary-treasurer.

According to the statement made by the Corporation Commission, the State's Trust Co., is selling $100,000 stock in that corporation and much of it is being sold by representatives going into small towns and inducing citizens to take stock in the State's Trust Co., with the understanding that the company will establish a bank in the town. The Corporation Commission has no jurisdiction over the Trust Co., and its business, the commission's authority coming in when the local bank is organized and opened for business. Thus far the Trust Co., has organized three of these country banks and the Bank of Angier is the first that the Commission has closed. President Smith, Secretary-Treasurer Bowlds, of the State's Trust Co., were here today to confer with the Commission seeking to avert the closing of the Angier bank but all the Commission would do was to telegraph Bank Examiner Hubbard that after closing the bank he could remain over there until Monday if there seemed to him to be any prospect of local business men taking over the bank and re-opening it on a sound basis.

The examination of the bank showed that the States' Trust Co., had paid in a check for the $5,000 capital and at once charged $2,000 for furniture and fixtures purchased from concerns interested in the Trust Co.; $900 had been used in discounting notes of local citizens for stock in the Trust Co.; $2,497 passed over to loans and discounts, and the examiner found about all the assets absorbed by charges that turned the capital stock back into the Trust Co. If re-organized and re-opened the Corporation Commission is insisting that this must be by local financial interests and not by the State's Trust Co. The Corporation Commission has on file a prospectus or statement of plans and purposes by the State's Trust Co., that sets out that $100,000 of 8 per cent stock is being sold in this State to be used in organizing country banks which are represented to pay an average of 21 per cent profit.

**Another Is Closed**

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—Following closely upon the announcement of the closing of the Bank of Angier this morning, there came this evening the announcement that Assistant Bank Examiner H. D. Bateman, acting under instructions of the Corporation Commission, had closed the Bank of Macclesfield, at Macclesfield, Edgecombe county, also promoted by the State's Trust Co., of Wilmington. It has a paid capital of $5,000 and was organized along the same lines as the institution closed earlier in the day.

Assistant State Bank Examiner Bateman returned tonight from Macclesfield where he closed the Bank of Macclesfield and brought with him in his grip all that was left of the cash and paper assets of the institution, he says, that was left by the promoting corporation, the State's Trust Company, of Wilmington. He brought to the Corporation Commission $1,250. He found charges of $2,366 for banking fixtures for a $5,000 bank. Of the fixtures to show for it there was $1,500 for an old and very poor safe and $300 for a practically worthless old adding machine. Deposits in the bank are about $6,000. The deposits in the Angier bank were $4,000.

Among the items of assets in both banks are amounts due from banks and bankers and in the Macclesfield bank this item aggregates over $7,000. If these assets anything like pan out there will be no trouble about depositors getting their money out of both banks.

The Corporation Commission believes that the heaviest loosers in the collapse of the scheme will be purchasers of stock in the State's Trust Co., there being probably about $90,000 of this stock sold in the State for part cash and negotiable notes for deferred payments, these notes being discounted by the promoters on a large scale.

The State's Trust Company has organized only three banks in this State yet, the third being in Claremont, Catawba county. State Bank Examiner Hubbard went tonight to this bank and will have a look at it Monday.

The secretary of the Corporation Commission stated tonight that the Commission has determined to charter no more banks organized by the State's Trust Company or under any kindred scheme.

Investigations are under way that are expected to lead to a number of arrests following the developments today.

### DR. A. D. M'CLURE

**Conducting Great Meetings at Kenansville—Words of Praise**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kenansville, N. C., April 5.—The people of this town are enjoying one of the most glorious religious meetings in its history. The services are being conducted by that eminent divine and grand man of God, Dr. A. D. McClure, of Wilmington.

Dr. McClure's very mien shows that he is a great man and devoted servant in his Master's cause. His sermons are logical, plain and soul convincing. May they be the means of bringing many souls to Christ. He is the ablest minister we have had with us in many years, and the hope of Kenansville people is that he may be spared many years to labor in the Master's vineyard.

## OUT FOR REVENGE, WOMEN VIOLENT

### Militant Suffragettes Commit Many Outrages in Great Britain

### ACTIVITIES IN SCOTLAND

Would Avenge Mrs. Pankhurst's Long Sentence—Case of Mrs. Emerson is Caustically Commented Upon—Campaign.

London, April 5.—The campaign of revenge for the long sentence imposed upon Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, which the suffragettes threatened, is proceeding actively and seems likely to spread. Many outrages have been committed during the last 24 hours.

These included the complete destruction of the grandstand of the Ayre Race Course in Scotland, where the principal Scottish meetings are held, the damage being estimated at $15,000, and an attempt to burn the new grandstand of the Kelso race course, also in Scotland. Two women were caught after they had ignited oil-soaked rags which they had placed beneath the Kelso stand.

Many shop windows were smashed in Glasgow, including those of the labor exchange; telephone wires were cut at Llantarnam, in Monmouthshire; letter boxes were damaged at Liverpool, the flower beds in the public park at Newcastle were torn up and letter boxes were burned or damaged in London.

The fact that Mrs. Emerson, of Jackson, Mich., has declared herself satisfied with the concession made by the British home secretary, Reginald McKenna, in taking ten days off the prison sentence of her daughter, Miss Zeelie Emerson, has greatly displeased some of the militant suffragettes. Miss Lillian Scott-Troy, the San Francisco suffragette who has been one of the most active workers in Miss Emerson's behalf, in an interview tonight said:

"I am thoroughly shocked at Miss Emerson's weak attitude after her strong letters and cablegrams to the United States and the firm support she has had from English doctors and men and women of high position who knew neither her daughter, nor herself personally, but who realize the awful consequences of forcible nasal feeding, in English prisons.

"I blame the embassy for her change of attitude. Mrs. Emerson is one of those Americans who are evidently overcome by a nod from an English person in a position superior to that in which they move.

"It is not a case of an individual, but a case of an American citizen and Mrs. Emerson, whose attitude has been hot and cold, should be disregarded and the campaign continued because it will establish a precedent for future treatment of American prisoners in English prisons."

### SITUATION IN CINCINNATI.

**City in Excellent Shape and Little Affected by Floods.**

Cincinnati, O., April 3.—In view of the destructive floods that have visited sections of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky it is in order at this time to say that Cincinnati is in excellent shape, and has not only been but little affected by high water conditions, but is now practically in communication by rail and wire with all parts of the country, and her merchants and manufacturers are prepared to respond to orders that may be placed with them.

In fact, at no time has direct communication with the South been interrupted, and through the immediate South to the East and other points.

Cincinnati has been the headquarters for relief, in the way of food, clothing, supplies and money that has been furnished to the citizens and banks of the Miami valley that have been visited by the devastating flood, and has not only cared for the few in our own city who have been temporarily rendered homeless by the high waters of the Ohio, but has been able to care for others to the immediate north of us who have been less fortunate.

WALTER A. DRAPER,
President Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce.

CHARLES A. HINSCH,
President the Business Men's Club and President Cincinnati Clearing House Association.

### EIGHTEEN INNING GAME

**Philadelphia American and Nationals Play to a Standstill**

Philadelphia, April 5.—The Philadelphia Americans and the Philadelphia Nationals today played the longest inter-league baseball game in the history of two major organizations, the contest being called at the end of the 18th inning on account of darkness with the score standing 2 to 2.

Brown, the Athletics' young right hander, pitcher the entire game and was hit safely only 13 times, while the Phillies used Alexander for five innings, Chalmers two and Brennan eleven. They allowed the former world's champions a total of only ten hits.

The Americans got the jump on their rivals by scoring their only two runs in the first inning. The Phillies made their two tallies in the ninth. Counting today's contest the teams have played five games, the Americans winning the first four. Manager Dooln left the game at the end of the seventh inning, having been notified that his brother had died today at Muncie, Ind. Score:

Americans—
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Nationals—
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Brown and Egan; Alexander, Chalmers, Brennan and Dooln and Killifer. Umpires, Klem and Connolly.

## SENSATIONAL DASH TO DEATH

### Notorious French Prisoner Eludes Guards, Climbs to Top of Prison and Jumped Headlong to Courtyard Below.

Paris, April 5.—LaCombe, a notorious anarchist, bandit and murderer, committed suicide today by jumping from the roof of the prison DeLa-Dante. His leap to death was witnessed by all the prison officials and guards, by LaCombe's lawyer, the prosecuting attorney and the judge who had committed him to the prison.

All these spectators had been summoned by telephone during the two hours that LaCombe stood at the edge of the roof arguing with the wardens who sought to persuade him to return to his cell. LaCombe was awaiting trial on the charge of assassinating M. Ducret, editor of the newspaper L'Idee Libre. He was also charged with murdering other people in various parts of France. He had been arrested in Paris on March 11th, after the police throughout France had sought him for several months. A mob tried to lynch him while he was on the way to the police station.

He was known as one of the most desperate criminals in the country and during his incarceration confessed to the murder of Ducret, admitted killing a postmaster at Besons and a railroad cashier at Les Aubrais, near Orleans. A special guard was kept on him in jail and even during his daily hour of exercise, he was closely watched.

This morning while LaCombe was talking with his lawyer in an enclosed courtyard inside the prison his guards stood a few yards off. Suddenly LaCombe, who was an all-round athlete and a professional performer of feats of great strength at county fairs, sprang forward and grasped the lower rung of an iron ladder leading to the upper part of the building. He had climbed past and had mounted swiftly to the roof before the guards recovered from their astonishment.

A dozen wardens passed through the prison and on to the roof by trap doors, gradually surrounding him on three sides. He threatened to throw himself down and the guards hesitated to approach.

A singular conversation then took place between LaCombe, the examining judge and the prosecuting attorney, who had been telephoned for.

LaCombe's lawyer, Georges Boucheron, and others meanwhile gathered on a balcony overlooking that part of the roof where LaCombe was standing.

Magistrate Drioux called on LaCombe to surrender.

"It is too late. I have finished," he replied.

LaCombe then complained of the food provided for him and of the lack of heat in his cell. The prison warden shouted to him that he himself would see that his desires were supplied.

"Too late," replied LaCombe. "It is finished."

He then said he would like to talk to Boucheron, who thereupon climbed down, approached LaCombe, shook hands with him and talked with him for half an hour. Now and then wiping tears from his eyes, LaCombe begged Boucheron to look after his mother and grandmother. Trembling with excitement he continued:

"I was thrown on the world when I was seven years old. I tried to do honest work, but fate followed me."

M. Boucheron urged LaCombe to be reasonable, but the anarchist, glancing at a clock in a church steeple which pointed at 11:28 said:

"At half past 11 o'clock all will be finished," and at that hour, raising his hand to his forehead in salute he shouted:

"It is the moment! Tell my mother that my last thought was of her! Farewell!" He jumped like a diver to the stone courtyard far below and was dashed to death.

### C. & O. SHOPS CLOSED

**One Result of Floods in Middle West —To Resume Work**

Richmond, April 5.—An executive order was issued today by the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, temporarily closing all shops on the system until traffic conditions which have been hampered by floods in the Middle West are restored to normal. While the company was unable to give approximately the number of men affected by the order, it was stated that work would be resumed gradually and that probably all of the shops would be running again on full time within a few weeks.

### OUTLINES

The Red Cross Society yesterday issued a statement saying that all told 454 persons lost their lives during the late flood in the West and 77,133 Ohioans need aid.

Many outrages were committed yestertay by suffragettes in Great Britain in the campaign for revenge because of the long sentence imposed upon Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst.

LaCombe, notorious anarchist, bandit and murderer, committed suicide yesterday by jumping from the roof of the prison DeLaDante in the presence of prison officials, guards and others.

Small banking institutions at Angier, Harnett county, and Macclesfield, Edgecombe county, were taken in charge by State bank examiners yesterday, their organization being not up to the requirements of the North Carolina Corporation Commission.

On the eve of the convening of Congress, President Wilson last night had the tariff situation well in hand, determined to carry out Democratic pledges in Baltimore in spite of vigorous protests from cane and wool growers, the association of the former stating they would accept no compromise, fight and take chances.

New York markets: Money on call nominal; time loans easy, 60 and 90 days 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent.; six months 4 3-4 per cent. Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 12.60. Flour steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red. 1.11 1-2 and 1.13. Corn steady, 59. Rosin and Turpentine dull.

## THE EXTRA SESSION BEGINS ON MONDAY

### Third Party Progressives, Regulars and Democrats Laying Their Plans

### REPUBLICANS HOLD CAUCUS

Democratic Committees of House Named—Recognition of New Party in House Was Joyfully Received.

Washington, April 5.—Plans for strenuous legislative campaigning during the coming session of Congress were outlined today by the new organization of the Progressive party in the House. The 15 Progressive members spent the day in a series of conferences to perfect plans.

Recognition of the new party in the House was assured this afternoon when Majority Leader Underwood in consultation with Representatives Murdock, Hindebaugh and Stephens agreed to allot to the new party its proportion of committee places. Mr. Underwood said he would give the Progressives places on at least two important committees, Ways and Means and Rules. The Progressives were jubilant over this decision.

From the fall of Speaker Clark's gavel on Monday the Progressives intend to get into the legislative struggle aggressively. The Progressive rules committee labored today over a draft of proposed rules for the House which they expect to offer as a substitute for the rules brought in by the Democrats. The Progressive rules will include a number of revolutionary changes, notably a provision for roll call votes during the consideration of bills informally and in committee of the whole House. A number of provisions to facilitate the calling up of bills from committees also will be included.

The Progressive party fight in the House may start before the first call of members-elect is completed on Monday. The Progressives contemplate a vigorous fight to unseat H. Olin Young, member from the 12th district of Michigan, in favor of William H. McDonald, the Progressive who opposed him.

**Republicans Caucus.**

Washington, April 5.—The first Republican caucus of the 63rd Congress was held tonight in the hall of the House of Representatives. Its purpose was to nominate Representative James R. Mann, of Illinois, as Republican candidate for speaker, and to talk over the political situation. There was a good deal of speech-making. "Progressive Republicans," were represented at the gathering.

Earlier in the evening a score of the Progressive Republicans, an element distinct from the third party Progressives, assembled in the office of Representative Anderson, of Minnesota, and discussed Republican conditions. Representatives who have aligned themselves with the Progressive wing of the Republican party in the past in the House, surveyed the situation, and most of them indicated their purpose of participating in the caucus of the regular Republicans. This was done on an understanding between themselves that they would not feel themselves bound by caucus action as to legislative matters. There was a general sentiment, however, that the policy of maintaining a party quorum should be recognized and there was no disposition to oppose the regular nominee of the Republicans for the speakership.

**Democratic Committees.**

Washington, April 5.—The first committees of the 63rd Congress virtually were chosen today, so far as the Democratic members are concerned by the majority of the House Committee on Ways and Means. These were selected:

Rules—Henry, of Texas, chairman; Pou, of North Carolina; Hardwick, of Georgia; Garrett, Tennessee; Foster, Illinois; Cantrill, Kentucky, and Coney, New York.

Accounts—Lloyd, of Missouri, chairman; Smith, Texas; Hamill, New Jersey; Underhill, New York; Kindell, Colorado; Howard, Georgia, and Abercrombie, Alabama.

Enrolled Bills—Whiteacre, of Ohio, chairman.

Mileage—Bailey, of Pennsylvania, chairman.

These recommendations for the Democratic majority, places for the only committees to be created at the outset of the extra session, according to the present programme which will be submitted to the Democratic caucus Tuesday and probably ratified later by the House.

**New Tariff Revision.**

The new tariff revision is expected by Democratic leaders to produce an annual revenue of $225,000,000 from the dutiable schedules and approximately $100,000,000 more from the income tax, allowing for free sugar.

There is an alternative proposition ready to clamp into the income feature of the bill at the Ways and Means Committee meeting Monday if it is found necessary to raise more revenue from the income tax ready to make up any depletion in the tariff revenue that might result from any agreement reached on sugar. This alternative is the substitution of one and one-half per cent. in that part of the income scheme taxing incomes between $4,000 and $20,000 instead of the present proposed rate of one per cent. The other parts of the income tax would stand unchanged. The committee majority has been proceeding on the assumption that it is necessary for the government to raise an annual revenue of at least $310,000,000 or $315,000,000.

While the new tariff law will take effect at midnight the date of approval the income tax feature of it will be effective for the calendar year 1913 and succeeding years.

This will be in line with the present scheme of assessment of the corporation tax assessable on a calendar year basis.

The exemptions in the income tax law, aside from the $4,000 minimum income limit as to persons, will be mainly, if not almost entirely, confined to religious and charitable institutions.

## PROGRESS OF BALKAN AFFAIRS

### Giving European Diplomacy Some Uneasy Moments—Sympathy With Montenegro—Coronation Is Postponed

London, April 5.—The progress of Balkan affairs is giving European diplomacy some uneasy moments. The allies have taken stiff-necked, independent attitude and refuse to accept orders from the powers. The question is, if it becomes necessary to coerce them, how can that be done?

The allies realize this and realize that the concert of Europe is not as harmonious as a month ago. The present policy of the Balkan States is to debate the peace terms and continue the war, at least until Montenegro has captured Scutari.

The smallest kingdom in Europe continues to defy the six great powers. King Nicholas talks freely to interviewers, declaring that he will take and keep the two which he considers necessary to the prosperity of his kingdom. Eight warships are blockading his port, but with the exception of Austria-Hungary and Germany this measure is being executed reluctantly.

These two powers alone demand that Scutari be incorporated in the State of Albania, and the other four powers have joined with them apparently merely for the sake of preserving harmony.

Public opinion of Great Britain and Russia is strongly in favor of Montenegro. The British newspapers are almost unanimous in expressing admiration and sympathy for the brave mountaineers.

Montenegro has made the greatest sacrifices of any of the allies and gained the least and the English people do not want to see the profits of victory taken from her. They remember the Greeks' declaration early in the war that the allies should keep what they gained.

**Coronation Postponed**

Athens, Greece, April 5.—The coronation of King Constantine of Greece will not take place until next year.

### NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN.

**Ebbett's Field Formally Opened Yesterday—Nationals Win.**

Brooklyn, April 5.—Ebbitt's field, the $750,000 home of the Brooklyn National League team, was formally opened today with a game won by the home team from the New York American Leaguers by the score of 3 to 2 in the presence of probably the biggest crowd that ever saw an exhibition game. The spacious stands with seating accommodations for nearly 25,000 persons, were packed and there were many standees.

The opening was marked by exercises after the usual custom on such occasions. Miss Genevieve Ebbitts, youngest daughter of the Brooklyn club's owner, tossed out the first ball put in play.

Both the rejuvenated American Leaguers, under Frank Chance, and Manager Dahlen's men fought hard all the way. Chance himself was in great form. Hal Chase, who made his big league debut as a second baseman, had little to do in the field.

Home runs by Stengel and Daubert gave Brooklyn a two to nothing lead. In the ninth the visitors tide on a pass, two hits and a wild throw. Smith's hit scored the winning run for Brooklyn.

New York .....000 000 002—2 8 1
Brooklyn .....000 011 001—3 8 3

Caldwell, Fisher and Sweeney; Rucker, Allen and Miller. Umpires Emslie and Hurst. Time 2:01.

### INDICT COTTON OIL CO.

**Charge of Violation of Anti-Trust Law Made in Georgia**

Macon, Ga., April 5.—Announcement was made here tonight by Alexander Akerman, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Georgia, that he will lay before a Federal grand jury which meets in Augusta Monday morning, evidence looking to the indictment of the American Cotton Oil Company of New York, under the Sherman anti-trust law.

It will be charged that this company, with branches and affiliations in every cotton State in the Union, has fixed and attempted to fix arbitrarily the price of cotton seed from the producers. One hundred and forty witnesses from every branch of the cotton seed oil industry have been subpoenaed to appear.

Mr. Akerman has been working on the case for 18 months and was instructed to spare no expense in gathering information.

As cotton seed and its products make up about one-fifth of the produce of the cotton plant the industry embraces a business annually of $100,000.

Mr. Akerman brought the suit against the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company for granting rebates, the latter company paying a fine of $20,000 at Savannah recently. The naval stores case is pending.

### THE PARCEL POST

**Millions of Packages Handled and Business on Increase**

Washington, April 5.—More than 150,000,000 parcel post packages were mailed during the three months the system was in operation, according to computations announced today by postal experts and based upon reports from the fifty largest postoffices. Approximately 55 per cent more business was handled in March than in January. Chicago leads all other citizens, 6,895,744 parcels being handled in two months; New York handled 5,973,075, and Boston 1,657,036.

Paris, April 5.—Wireless telegraph experiments which have proceeded for three weeks between the Eiffel tower station and Arlington, Va., ended today. More extended work along the same lines is to be taken up in November and December. Those two months are regarded as more favorable for long distance wireless.

## DANGER PASSING FROM HIGH WATER

### Mississippi Made Little Progress Toward Stage Meaning Disaster

### THE OHIO ALSO RECEDING

Cairo Situation Complicated by Rise at St. Louis—Trains Annulled at Memphis—Relief by Red Cross

Memphis, Tenn., April 5.—On its annual flood through the central section of the country, the Mississippi river tonight had made comparatively little progress toward that stage which might spell disaster for residents along more than 1,000 miles of water front.

Some encouragement comes from points along the recently-flooded Ohio where gauge readings show that stream is falling. At Cincinnati the stage at 7 o'clock tonight was 61 feet, a fall of 2.3 since 7 o'clock this morning. At Louisville the reading was 42.8, a fall of .1, and at Cairo 54.7, where it has been hovering for hours.

The Cairo situation, however, is complicated by a rise in the Mississippi at St. Louis where the river at 7 o'clock tonight stood at 23.1, a rise of .9 since the same hour this morning.

Below Cairo the gauge also shows the flood is slowly swelling. At New Madrid, 43.9 feet was shown, a rise of one-tenth; at Memphis, 43 feet, or six-tenths above the figures this morning and at Vicksburg 43.3, or four-tenths higher.

Meanwhile, the levees are holding well from Hickman to Memphis, according to news received at the office of the United States engineers with headquarters in Memphis. Levee boards with offices in this city also declare their embankments are standing the strain.

Experts in flood protection claim that the levees of the St. Francis district in Arkansas, and those below Memphis on both sides of the river, will not only resist the expected flood, but will withstand a crest at Memphis of 47 feet and still show one to two feet above the water line.

Train schedules into Memphis were somewhat disarranged by the rising water today. The Illinois Central annulled two of its trains and the St. Louis and San Francisco has been forced to detour its northbound trains from Memphis to Hoxie and Mingo, Ark., and thence to Cape Giardeau, Missouri.

The crest of the flood is not expected to reach here before the middle of next week. More extensive preparations than ever before have been made to combat an overflow and confidence is expressed that the damage will be minimized.

**Relief in Ohio District**

Columbus, Ohio, April 5.—Basing their figures upon reports received today from their field agents throughout the Ohio flood districts, officials of the Red Cross Society who have been placed in charge of the relief work in this State, today issued a statement estimating that 454 persons lost their lives during last week's flood. Ohioans numbering 77,133 need aid for rehabilitation, according to the statement. The city of Findlay, where at least two lives were lost and many made homeless, is not included in the estimate, which follows, the first column representing loss of life and the second the estimated number needing aid:

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| Chillicothe | 17 | 1,500 |
| Coshocton | 3 | 1,100 |
| Columbus | 86 | 20,000 |
| Dayton | 150 | 22,500 |
| Defiance | — | 500 |
| Delaware | 21 | 883 |
| Franklin | 7 | 250 |
| Freemont | 3 | 1,000 |
| Gallipollis | — | 2,500 |
| Hamilton | 72 | 12,500 |
| Ironton | — | 1,000 |
| Larue | — | 100 |
| Malta | — | 600 |
| Manchester | — | 350 |
| Connellsville | — | 175 |
| Marietta | — | 450 |
| Miamisburg | 2 | 2,200 |
| Middleton | 8 | 1,000 |
| Middleport | — | 1,000 |
| Ottawa | — | 125 |
| Piqua | 45 | 1,400 |
| Pomeroy | — | 175 |
| Portsmouth | 2 | 1,700 |
| Sydney | — | 125 |
| Tiffin | 30 | 2,000 |
| Troy | 6 | 200 |
| Zanesville | 2 | 2,000 |
| Total | 454 | 77,133 |

Columbus, Ohio, April 5.—No official reports as to the loss of life at Harrison, Mount Vernon, Valley Junction, VanWert Veine, New Trenton, Brookville, Wooster, Cleves, North North Bend, New Bethelhem, Mansfelc, Globe Center and Ludenville, have been received by the Red Cross

All of these villages previously reported flood deaths, but officials believe the reports to have been exaggerated through excitement.

**Situation at Memphis**

Memphis, Tenn., April 5.—Between six and ten blocks of low-lying property along the bayou Gayoso tonight are covered with two to six feet of muddy back water from the Mississippi river, a result of the break in one of the city levees early this morning. The residents of the district affected had been warned in ample time to make their escape and there was no loss of life.

One fatality in connection with the flood occurred today when George Rear, an employe of the Memphis Power Boat Company, fell from a pontoon into Wolf river and drowned before aid could reach him.

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## A. & M. TRACK MEET

**Won by Carolina at Raleigh Yesterday —The Events**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—Carolina won the track meet from A. & M. here today by the score of 80 1-2 to 36 1-2. Events with the winners are:

One Mile—Spence, U. N. C.; Roberts, A. & M.; Nash, A. & M. Time 4.56.

Quarter Mile—Nichols, A. & M.; Patterson, H., U. N. C.; Jeanette, A. & M. Time 55 seconds.

Pole Vault—Strong and Blalock, U. N. C., tied for first and second; Homewood, U. N. C., and Eldridge, A. & M., tied for third. Height, 10 feet 6 inches.

Shot-put—Floyd, A. & M.; Axley, U. N. C.; Parker, U. N. C. Distance, 36 feet, 7 inches.

High Hurdles—Wolcott, U. N. C.; Struthers, U. N. C.; Howell, A. & M. Time, 18 seconds.

100 Yards—Sears, U. N. C.; Devane, U. N. C.; Nichols, A. & M. Time, 10 2-5 seconds.

Two Miles—Patterson, E., U. N. C.; Smith, A. & M.; Harris, A.& M. Time, 10:54.

Half Mile—Spence, Whiting and Ransom, U. N. C. Time, 2:12.

220-yard Hurdles—Woolcott and Struthers, U. N. C.; Potter, A. & M. Time, 28 1-5 seconds.

Hammer Throw—Floyd, A. & M.; Axley, U. N. C.; Hurtt, A. & M. Distance, 120 feet, 6 inches.

220-yard Sprint—Sears, U. N. C.; Hine, A. & M. Time, 24 seconds.

High Jump—Woolcott, U. N. C.; Goodman, A. & M., and Wright, of U. N. C., tied for second and third. Height, 5 feet, 6 inches.

Broad Jump—Briggs, A. & M.; Fright, U. N. C.; Woolcott, U. N. C. Distance, 20 feet, 4 inches.

Officials: Starter, Curtis; field judge, Dr. Sims. Time-keepers, Jeffry and Hopkins.

## THE CUSTOMS SERVICE

**Preparations for Reorganization Going Forward Rapidly—Conflicts**

Washington, April 5.—Preparation for re-organization of the customs service on July 1st are well under way by Secretary McAdoo.

Two features of the plan as sent to Congress by former President Taft, and thereby made law, are worrying treasury officials. Against the recommendation of the Treasury Department Mr. Taft made Jacksonville the headquarters of the Florida district. Treasury officials urged Tampa because its annual customs receipts are said to be $1,800,000, while the receipts at Jacksonville are said to be only $27,000. Tampa is protesting vigorously.

In another part of his message to Congress Mr. Taft made Norfolk the headquarters of the Virginia district and in another section referred to Norfolk and Newport News as the joint headquarters for Virginia.

The latter was the Treasury Department's recommendation but officials believe that Mr. Taft meant to make Norfolk the headquarters. They are endeavoring to interpret this feature of the plan. Some protest has been received from Newport News.

## "JIM" BOYLAN'S FUNERAL.

**Wadesboro Editor Laid to Rest With Honors of His Country.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wadesboro, N. C., April 5.—The funeral of James G. Boylin, late editor and owner of the Messenger and Intelligencer, was held from the residence yesterday afternoon. Hundreds of sincere friends from all parts of his native county and from other counties were present. No finer tribute could have been paid the memory of this man than to the presence at his grave of the sturdy citizenship in such great numbers. These men had known and read after him for more than a quarter of a century and came to pay their last respects to their friend. The service was conducted by Rev. G. D. Herman, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. Bruce Doyle, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The pallbearers were Messrs. L. D. Robinson, T. L. Caudle, J. A. Lockhart, J. A. Hardison, E. C. Robinson and J. W. Gulledge.

Floral wreaths completely covered the grave, the loving tributes of friends far and near.

## NAVAL STORES FIGHT

**Committees of American Company in Savannah and New York Meet**

Richmond, Va., April 5.—A committee representing the stockholders of the American Naval Stores Company, of Savannah, Ga., met a similar committee from New York here today to arrange details for the liquidation of the corporation. "The American Naval Stores Company will continue to do business as before," said a member of the committee tonight. "The purpose of the liquidation has been made known to the stockholders through circulars and no one will lose a cent."

The committee from New York consisted of Pierre Jay, vice president of the Manhattan Bank, and F. B. Franklin, vice president of the Guarantee Trust Company. Members from Savannah were M. A. O'Bryne, M. B. Lane, D. D. Bloodworth and T. M. Cunningham, counsel.

The company announced on March 17th that it had suspended business the assertion being made that the government's anti-trust fight had destroyed its credit.

## THE MORGAN FUNERAL

**Body Left Havre Last Night—The Family Gathers**

Havre, April 5.—The French Line steamer France, with the body of J. Pierpont Morgan aboard, left here at 8 o'clock this evening for New York.

Highland Falls, N. Y., April 5.—Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan and Miss Anne Morgan arrived here today for a rest pending the arrival of Mr. Morgan's body from Havre. They will remain at the Morgan country house, "Cragston."

**Customs of Other Days.**

Drinking tricks figured in diplomacy in the time of Henry VIII. Mrs. Henry Cust quotes the king's challenge to Hubertus, the representative of the Palsgrave Frederick. He sent for two huge goblets, filled with wine and beer respectively, and gave the envoy his choice for a "drinking out" test. In vain Hubertus pleaded that his master had actually instituted a company of the golden ring to put down such contests, any member who broke the prohibition to lose his ring and give $1 to the poor. Henry, anxious to prove that the Englishman was the better man, promised to find the forfeits himself and drank his beer at a draft, while it took the German four gulps to account for the wine.

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## SUNDAY SERVICES

**Announcement by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today**

St. James Church, Rev. Wm. H. Milton, D. D., rector—Services, sermon and Holy Communion at 11. Evening Prayer and sermon at 8. Organ recital at 7:45. Everybody cordially welcome.

St. Matthew's Ev. Lutheran Church, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, supply—There will be no morning service in St. Matthew's. The congregation will unite with St. Paul's Lutheran Church in their special installation services. The usual evening service will be held at 5 o'clock in the afternoon instead of at the regular time. Rev. M. M. Kinard, D. D., president of the North Carolina Synod, will preach. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Wednesday eve services at 8 P. M.

Christian Church, Dock street, near Fourth, H. C. Bowen, pastor—10 A. M., Sunday School, H. A. DeCover, Supt. Aim 100 on time. 11 A. M. Communion and preaching. 7 P. M., Christian Endeavor. 7:45 P. M., Preaching service. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 P. M. All cordially welcome.

Bladen Street Methodist Church, Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M., by the pastor. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M., J. M. Taylor, Supt. Prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. To all services the public is cordially invited.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, J. A. Sullivan, pastor—Services Sunday 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School 3:30, Mr. S. F. Carrison, Supt. Ladies' Missionary Society Tuesday 3:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 P. M., led by the Baraca and Junior Baraca classes. B. Y. P. U. Thursday 8 P. M. Bible Class and Teachers' meeting Friday 8 P. M. The pastor will begin at the morning service a series of sermons on the Devotional Life. The first subject is, "When you have the 'blues.'" At the night services Rev. Theo. B. Davis, the B. Y. P. U. expert, will give a chalk talk on "Service." This is a fine opportunity to hear this talented speaker. All are welcome to all services.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector—Litany, Holy Communion and sermon at 11 A. M. Sunday School 4 P. M. Evening Prayer and sermon 8 P. M. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

St. Mary's Church, corner Fifth and Ann streets, Rev. C. Dennen, rector—First Mass 8 A. M. High Mass and sermon 10:30. Vespers and benediction at 8.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Market and Sixth streets, Rev. F. B. Clausen, pastor—The installation service of the pastor will begin at 11 A. M. Preaching by the Rev. Dr. Kinard, of Salisbury, N. C., and the Rev. G. C. Berkemeier. D. D., of New York City. The service commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Christian Association, will begin at 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the Rev. G. C. Berkemeier. Special music. A cordial invitation to the public. Sunday School will assemble at 3:30. The visiting ministers will meet with the school and all members will make an effort to be present. Offering for missions, being the first Sunday. Business meeting of the Luther League Thursday evening at 8:15.

Trinity Methodist Church, corner Ninth and Market streets, Rev. C. T. Rogers, pastor—Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock subject, "Infant Baptism," by the pastor. Sunday evening 7:30, subject, "Missions," Mrs. H. M. Melville and Mrs. K. C. Shaw. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Vusiness Men's Bible Class, 3:30 P. M. Prayer meeting and Epworth League, Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. All are invited.

St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Dock street, between Second and Third, Rev. Thos. P. Hayden, pastor—Mass 9 A. M. Sunday School 3 P. M. Evening Devotions 8 P. M.

Grace Methodist Church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor—Sunday School this morning at 9:45; preaching at 11 o'clock, followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper; preaching this evening at 8 o'clock; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, and Epworth League Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Public is cordially invited.

First Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor—Worship at 11 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Immortality and the Future Life." At 7:30 P. M., Mr. Flake will address the unions of the city on the work of the B. Y. P. U. Sunday School 9:45 A. M. At 3 P. M. the District B. Y. P. U. Convention will be addressed by Secretary Davis and Mr. Flake. At 6:30 Mr. Davis will address the unions and the First Baptist Union will follow with weekly programme.

**A Fish Out of Water**

A fish that can live out of water for months, possibly for a year, has recently been added to the Museum of Natural History in New York. It came from Africa. The specimen is called a lungfish because when out of water it inhales air as if it were a land animal, though when in the water it breathes through gills. The fish was received at the museum in a dormant condition, coiled up in a cocoon, deeply sunken in a clod of earth which had been dug up from a dried-up river bottom in Africa. When received at the museum the cake of earth showed a little tunnel-like opening where the fish burrowed in the soft mud and through which later it secured its supply of air. As far as is known this is the second specimen of a lungfish ever brought to this country, and will be viewed with great interest by the many visitors to the museum.—The Christian Herald.

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## IN PROGRESSIVE COLUMBUS

**Commencement at Chadbourn—Whiteville Town Convention—Presbyterians Call Pastor—Land Values Increasing.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., April 5.—The commencement exercises of the Chadbourn High School will begin Wednesday evening, April 9th, with a concert by the music pupils of Miss Mattie E. Burwell. On Thursday evening the class day exercises will take place and on Friday evening the graduating exercises. Rev. G. T. Adams, of Wilmington, will preach the commencement sermon.

A convention of the citizens of the town has been called for Tuesday night for nominating candidates to succeed the present town officials. So far as we know there is no opposition to the present board, and they will likely be re-nominated.

Mr. J. J. Hendren, of Chadbourn, has been appointed farm demonstrator in this county for the United States Department of Agriculture to suceed Mr. D. F. Strole, who resigned some time ago. Mr. Hendren states that he is meeting with excellent results in interesting the farmers of the county in this work.

Many crates of strawberries were sent North this week, and for several weeks now the berry growers will be kept busy. The yield is good, and as the season here is earlier than usual it will enable the growers to make a nice profit.

A congregational meeting of the Whiteville Presbyterian church was held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock and Rev. W. W. Morton, who is now a student at the Union Theological Seminary of Richmond, Va., was called as pastor of this church. This church has been without a pastor since last November, the former pastor, Rev. Fred Smith, having gone to Kentucky to accept the pastorship of a church.

The records show that Columbus has had 105 marriages since December. This is an average of one a day and shows, we think, that our people are sensible and have a correct conception of what true happiness is.

Mrs. H. L. Lyon and Mrs. J. B. Schulken attended the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Convention for the Methodist church, which was held in Wilmington this week.

Quite a number of real estate transfers have been made in the county within the last few weeks. It is worthy of notice that land that a few years ago could be bought for $2 an acre now brings from $50 to $100 an acre. There are thousands of acres of undrained land in the county now worthless except for the timber on it which, with proper drainage, could be made most valuable land. It is to be hoped that while Congress is busy making appropriations for our Western friends that they will not forget the vast undeveloped resources of the South. Drainage is as important as irrigation, and should receive the same emphasis from our National legislators.

## WASHINGTON AND BOSTON.

**Senators Win From Boston Nationals, Score 8 to 7.**

Washington, April 5.—Washington took the second and last game from the Boston Nationals in their exhibition series here today, 8 to 7. The game was slow and uninteresting. The score:

Washington .....8 11 1
Boston .....7 8 2

Cashion, Groom and Ainsmith; Williams, Perdue and Devoght and Rariden.

## DYING BEQUEST OF SOLDIER

**Feared Brother Might Have Foolish Sentiment About Making Use of Gift.**

During the latter part of the Civil war Basil Gildersleeve lay one day apparently at the point of death, surrounded by several members of his family. "Brother," he murmured faintly, "I have, at most, only a few days to live, and when I am laid to rest I want you to have my new pair of boots in the closet yonder. I paid $150, Confederate, for them, and you are sorely in need of a pair." Instead of the expected burst of gratitude there was no answer. Racked with emotion at the thought of his great loss, the brother was evidently too much overcome for speech. "Brother," persisted the future "immortal" weakly, "you mustn't have any foolish sentiment about those boots. I will never be well enough to wear them again, and it would be pure extravagance to bury me in them." Still the brother, his face flushed, his heart too full for utterance, made no reply. "Won't you promise me to wear the boots after I am gone?" Gildersleeve pleaded. "Basil," stammered the other, crimsoning with confusion, "I've—got 'em on now."—Argonaut.

## SAVED FROM SHARK'S JAWS

**Veracious Account of the Experience of a Wrecked Passenger on the Atlantic.**

They were telling stories in the smoke room.

"I'll tell you how I was once saved from a shark," said a stranger, who had listened with growing interest. "I was crossing the Atlantic, and I had my bike with me. About half-way a storm came on, and the ship began to sink. All the boats were filled with people and launched. There were even then a few left, myself being among them.

"An idea struck me, and I rushed down to where my machine was stored. I hurriedly removed the front wheel and then took off the tire. I took my pump and blew up the tube until it was the size of a life-buoy. Then I placed it under my arm-pits and jumped overboard.

"After floating about for a while a shark began making overtures to me. Just as it was going to swallow me it bit the inner tube, which exploded and blew me clean into America and the shark into little bits."

BUILDING OPERATIONS ACTIVE

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**"The Girl" Cleared $350.**

The net receipts of the musical comedy presented by the Misses Burkheimer Friday night with a company of local young ladies and gentlemen, were $350. Of this sum, one-half goes to the Cape Fear Camp, United Confederate Veterans, or $175. The Veterans are delighted with their snug sum and the author and director of the play, Miss Bessie Burkheimer, is likewise entirely satisfied, stating that the play was the best both in production and patronage that she has had.

## BODY AS WELL AS BRAIN

**Aim of Modern Educators Now Is to Promote the Health of the Child.**

It is no longer sufficient that school shall not interfere with the health of the child; it must positively promote it, asserts Dr. Woods Hutchinson. The schoolroom should be tolerated in so far as it makes for health, and not one whit farther. Growth is the chief and only important business of the child; and the duty of education is to assist that growth. Whatsoever is more than this in it, cometh of evil. The school ought to be, and must be made, the wholesomest and healthiest place in the world for the child. The old education concerned itself solely with the mind of the child, and the only part of his body that it took into account at all was the brain-bulb at the upper end of him. The new education considers the whole child, and proposes to develop all his powers—bodily, mental and moral. A healthy, happy, well-taught childhood for every child born into the community is its aim—nothing more, nothing less! No country which is contented with less can call itself civilized. The child is our best crop; the one for which, in fact, all others are raised; and no money, no time, no energy, intelligently spent upon its cultivation, can be wasted.

**Protection.**

"Women who are alone in a flat all day take many precautions to insure safety," a gas collector said. "One way that I learned the other day made me feel rather foolish. When I went into the kitchen to read the meter the mistress of the flat stepped to the telephone and said:

"'It's all right, Central. It's only the gas man.'

"Of course, she was under no obligations to explain that cryptic allusion to myself, but she did it voluntarily.

"'Every time the doorbell rings when I am here alone,' she said, 'I take the receiver off the hook and leave the telephone open before I go to the door, so that if I should have occasion to scream they could hear me at headquarters and send somebody to my assistance.'

"To utilize the telephone company as a private detective bureau struck me as nervy, but I have since learned that a lot of lone women resort to that plan with satisfaction to all concerned."

## EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES.

**North Carolina Stands Low According to Sage Foundation Report.**

(Contributed.)

According to the Russell Sage Foundation's Comparative Study of Public School Systems of the 48 States, North Carolina stands 47th in expenditures per child, giving $4 per annum for each child. South Carolina ranks 48th in the list, spending only $3 per child per year. Washington takes the leading place with $32 per child, and in order is followed by California, New York and Massachusetts.

"A school boy in North Carolina or New Mexico," says the report, "with an average attendance based on the average effective school year of from 60 to 65 days, would need 22 years to complete an elementary course of eight or nine school months. If he entered school at the age of five, he would complete the eighth grade at 27. Such conditions partly account for the fact that few of the children enrolled ever reach the upper grades and the high school."

Education was made compulsory in Germany and Massachusetts in the 17th century, and in more than half of the United States and France in the 19th century, and in all but 12 of the remaining States of the Union in the 20 century. At the present, six of the States have no laws which apply only to part of their territories. Connecticut has a special agent with an assistant who enforces the compulsory education law and does it effectively. Most States leave the matter to local authorities. The law's machinery is so defective that it is almost non-operative.

For every $100 of wealth, total valuation of real and personal property, North Carolina gives 28 cents; Washington 72 cents, and Oklahoma 75 cents. North Carolina stands at the foot of the list as compared with other States in the amount of money expended for teachers, the average paid being $200 a year. California leads with an average of $918. Teacher values as compared to other valuations may be judged as follows:

Carpenters get $802; coal miners $600; factory workers $550; common laborers $513; teachers $485, average per year. Throughout the Southern States thousands of rural teachers earn less than $150 a year. In one of the Southern States convicts from the penitentiary are leased to contractors at the rate of $400 a year, while the State pays its teachers about $300.

North Carolina ra[illegible]s 41 in illiteracy, which puts her seven below Louisiana, which is 48th. Iowa takes the lead in literacy, having fewer illiterates than any other State in the Union.

At the present time 12 States have free text books in all their public schools.

Massachusetts passed the first Statewide medical inspection law. The movement spread rapidly, when in 1912 seven other States passed mandatory laws, ten States permissive laws, and in three other States, inspection is carried on under regulations having the force of law. It is now a movement National in scope in most of the important countries of the world.

Expenditures for public education have more than doubled in the past ten years. No other investment produces so large return. More money means better schools. Better schools mean more efficient citizens and that means more wealth, for more efficient citizens can produce more money.

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# WEEK'S NEWS AT LUMBERTON

**Superior Court in Session—Several Business Changes—Big Dredge at Work—Personal and Other Notes of Interest**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 5.—Superior Court has been in session here this week and the prospects seem good for the term to continue all next week. The Atlantic Coast Line must have at least 20 men here as witnesses, though we do not know how many cases they represent.

Among the number is one witness who came 700 miles. He is so far from home that his watch is one hour behind time here. Another witness is our old friend James Cutts, of Rocky Mount, whom we had not seen for quite a number of years. Mr. Cutts is an old Wilmington boy, our acquaintance dating back into the 80's. Court is being attended only by those who have business. We like all the judges who come here, but we would like to see Judge Ferguson make Lumberton his home and spend his spare time here.

During the last few years we have frequently seen the name of W. G. Baldwin in the court proceedings of New Hanover, and it always reminds us of Lumberton when it first went dry over 25 years ago. As a result of the closing of the saloons there was much blockading and among those who left here on that account was one W. G. Baldwin, a young white man, a mechanic by trade, if we remember correctly. Things got too warm for him up here and he left, going as it was soon learned to Bladen county. When the Bladen officials learned that he was wanted here, he was arrested and brought to Lumberton, arriving about 11 o'clock on a dark cloudy night. When the train stopped at the station Baldwin walked out of the car ahead of the officer, but instead of getting off on the station side, he jumped off on the dark side like a flash and disappeared in the darkness wearing handcuffs. All trace of him was lost, and if he ever came here after that night we did not hear of it. Something like 15 or 18 years ago, after Baldwin had almost vanished from our mind, we were greatly astonished to meet him in a lodge room one night in Wilmington. When we had an opportunity we asked him to tell us how he relieved himself of the handcuffs he carried away from Lumberton. He gave us the information in detail and implored us to say nothing as he had reformed and was living a decent life. He had become a member of the order in another State and had transferred his membership to Wilmington. We sought the advice of some older and wiser brethren and they agreed it would be best to wait and see how he conducted himself before saying anything. We do not pretend to say the man now figuring in the Wilmington courts is the same, but the names being the same caused us to think of the young man 25 years ago.

We were inexpressibly sorry to learn of the death of Mr. R. M. Phillips, of the Greensboro Daily News. We had known him since he first went to Greensboro between 15 and 20 years ago. We soon became good friends and we don't believe we have ever had the good fortune to have the acquaintance and friendship of a better man than Bob Phillips. We sincerely regret his passing.

There is at least one man on his job in Lumberton when it comes to blowing his whistle about 4:15 in the morning, and it isn't a railroad whistle either. As there is no cotton mill in town what can it be but a saw mill? Beginning shortly after 4 o'clock that whistle blows about every 20 or 30 minutes until about 6:30. Unless we are mistaken the watchman at the plant where the whistle is blown so much is a witness against a Seaboard engineer who was recently tried before the mayor for blowing his whistle in town.

We regret the announcement that Mr. G. W. Hart, for some time pharmacist and manager of the Lumberton Drug Company, will on May 1st sever his connection with that company. Mr. Hart resigns to accept a position as traveling saleman for a large drug company, his territory being Western South Carolina. Our people will be glad to know, however, that this will still be his home, his family remaining here. It is not known yet who will succeed Mr. Hart with the Lumberton Drug Company.

It is a little surprising that professional men who are supposed to be, and should be, above such things, will go around and knock a brother every chance they get. It is little in the extreme when a preacher or doctor or teacher will get small enough to make remarks about members of his profession in an effort to injure them simply because he has some little grievance. Some of you fellows right in this community better cut it out. You are hurting yourselves worse than the other fellow.

Two or three years ago we wrote an item about a boy in this community who was really one of the most determined and energetic we ever knew. He plowed by day and spent his nights in pursuit of book-learning. But, alas, he got tired of the farm, he got a job in town, and among the first things he learned was to wear kid gloves to protect his hands from the cold and the sunshine. How foolish of a good boy doing well on a farm to leave it.

Great improvements have been made at the Lumberton Drug Company store. The front has been given a new coat of paint, white and green, which changes the appearance very much. The interior is to have new wall paper and paint and varnish will be applied wherever needed. A little paint often makes great changes in the appearance of things, even on faces.

The big dredge which is cutting the canal in Jacob swamp, two or three miles south of town, is crossing the R. & C. track tonight. When the last train came in from Marion at 5:30 a large force began removing the trestle so that the dredge could cut its way through tonight and have the track replaced in time for the 10 o'clock train to pass over tomorrow morning. Sixty feet of track had to be removed in order that the dredge might have room to pass through. All who feel so disposed can walk down the railroad track tomorrow to the dredge, but no work will be done after the bridge is replaced so trains can pass over.

April 1st brought some changes with the passenger conductors on this division of the Seaboard. Conductors Beery and Williams, who for a long time have been on trains 44 and 45, now have 39 and 44. This gives each man about 17 hours' rest in Charlotte where they formerly had about five hours. They have very nearly the same time off at each end of their runs.

We heard this week of a young man not far from Lumberton who is doing some farming. He will cultivate this year 10 acres in corn and 10 acres in cotton. He expects to make with favorable seasons 500 bushels of corn and 10 bales of cotton. The beauty of it is, when the crops are made he does not expect to owe a cent on them. He has a side line, so to speak, that will cover the expense of making his crops. Stay there, young man, don't try to get a job in town behind the counter.

Mr. Patton, who has been spending several days in town delivering lectures in the Masonic hall, left this morning for his home at Elon College. During the time spent here Mr. Patton has made many friends who will always extend to him the glad hand when he visits Lumberton.

Mr. John Jones' family left for Charleston, S. C., this week. They expect to make that city their future home.

Rev. J. Frank Gorrell, arrived from Greensboro last night and will preach his first sermon as pastor at the Presbyterian church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Gorrell and children will arrive next week. Mr. Gorrell is making his temporary home at the residence of Mr. M. G. McKenzie. The parsonage is being repainted but will be ready for occupancy in a few days.

Mrs. Lucy Elvington, of Fairmont, has purchased from Prof. R. E. Sentelle, the residence on North Elm street, which he recently purchased from Mr. A. W. Peace. Prof. Sentelle will give it up May 1st. He is yet undecided where he will move but expects to buy a lot and build a new home. Good people continue to move to Lumberton and all such will always receive a hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hilburn, of LaGrange, were Lumberton visitors this week. It will be recalled that they recently married here and went immediately to LaGrange to reside, Mr. Hilburn having selected that town as a good place to go into business. We are glad to know that he is succeeding already beyond expectations. Mr. Hilburn deserves success as he is one of those good, hard-working fellows, greeting everyone with a pleasant word and giving his time to his own business, not finding time to meddle with the affairs of others.

Speaking of Water street where Barfield Prevatt shot Emory McNeill last Saturday night, we have lost nothing in that section and if we had we would hunt it in daytime. Since we have known that part of town, in a radius of 100 yards, four men have been drowned, one killed by coming in contact with a limb on a tree, and another one shot to death. One of those drowned, Mr. Calvin McIver, who lost his life just about where the old wooden bridge now stands, was one of the best correspondents the Robesonian ever had.

Dr. R. T. Allen's Indian Runner ducks are going some. During the month of March his eight ducks laid even 200 eggs. The doctor is justly proud of his ducks.

If there is any class of people in this country as common as some of the so-called detectives who take the job of running down blind tigers, we never heard of it. Dr. J. P. Brown is one of the latest victims in this county. Dr. Brown says he was applied to for a small quantity of alcohol to be used in developing pictures. He gave the prescription, writing what it was to be used for. The next thing he knew he was indicted. Which is the worst, a real blockader or a sneak who will stoop so low?

Mayor Caldwell received a telegram this week from Mr. Brinkley, the gentleman who was in so much trouble here last week on account of his wife and child being in the Dayton floods, stating that on reaching the city he found his loved ones safe and well.

We have never seen the time at this season of the year when country hams were so scarce as now. A year ago the grocery store of Mr. L. H. Caldwell could be seen with hams in ton lots. Now it would be a big thing to find 200 or 300 pounds. Cholera played havoc in this section last year.

The perplexing question now is, where will the government find in Lumberton a lot of the required dimensions for a public building? Several good sites are available but they haven't got the size.

Mr. J. C. Rogers, of Fair Bluff, has accepted the position of clerk at the Waverly Hotel, succeeding Mr. Harry Green who resigned several days ago to accept a position with The Orton in Wilmington.

## FORESTER-CLEMENTS INCIDENT

**Judge Intended No Reflection on N. C. Corporation Commission**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 5.—The Corporation Commission received today from Hon. Judson C. Clements, of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, a letter insisting that he in no way refleted on the Corporation Commission in any conversation with Secretary Forester, of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, as he was reported to have done in a Washington special giving a statement by Mr. Forester about his appearance before the Inter-State Commerce Commission about the long and short haul clause. Judge Clements reviews incidents and his conversations with Mr. Forester, saying that he did tell him, in disparaging the need of further argument by Forester, that the North Carolina Commission had attended the arguments three days and concluded not to participate therein, saying this not in any way of criticism of the Commission but as offering an inference that they, representing the interest of South Carolina communities and shippers had not, under all the circumstances, deemed it necessary at the time to participate in these arguments. Judge Clements expressed a high estimate of the efforts of the North Carolina Commission and approved its course in the whole matter.


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# NEWS OF LOWER CAPE FEAR

**Black Fish Season—Standard Oil Tanks at Southport—Movement of Vessels—Young Men's Business Club—Notes.**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., April 5.—The black fish season is now on and some fine lots of these fish are being brought in. Many fishermen consider that from this time to May 20th, is the best for these fish.

The Ocean Fisheries Company's steamers are being made ready for the Spring catch of menhaden.

The tug John T. Donohue, of New York, arrived here Friday from Norfolk, and will tow the barge Hooper to New York. The barge has a cargo of pilings, 800 to 900, which were cut about five miles above here, and hauled to the bank of the Cape Fear and from there put on the barge.

At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen Wednesday night, it was voted to grant permission to the Standard Oil Company to erect storage tanks. There are to be two tanks of about 15,000 gallons each, for kerosene and gasoline. For the present these tanks will be located on the property of the W. B. & S. Ry. Co., corner of Moore and Rhett streets. A pipe line will be run to the dock on the river. It is thought that this location will be only used by the Standard Oil Co., temporarily until the company can buy its own property.

On last Tuesday Miss Katherine Butler, of Edgefield, S. C., who is visiting here, was tendered a delightful "bachelor tea" by Mrs. Powers at Fort Caswell.

The Gen. Getty, the government steamer, under orders to sail from here Wednesday at 4 P. M. for Charleston, S. C., with an extra crew and fully provisioned, at 3:57 P. M. received a telegram calling the trip off. The Getty was to have had her hull painted, but the dry dock at Charleston was occupied, hence the annulment.

During the past week a number of power yachts have been in this harbor, all bound north, coming from Southern resorts where their owners have been enjoying the Winter season. Most of the boats had only their crews on board, the owners and guests having returned north by rail.

The Civic Club at its meeting this week set Thursday, May 1st, as the date for the Baby Show. Committees were appointed and several prizes will be awarded, such as the prettiest baby, the most popular, and for those possessing various charms. There will be a parade with a display of "floats" never equalled. The parade will end in Franklin Square, where there will be booths with refreshments and the prizes will there be given. As a matter of sound judgment, the judges will not be named or known until just before the event.

Mrs. Percy J. Lumley has been elected a delegate by the Civic Club to attend the State Confederation of Women's Clubs in Newbern next month.

A call for young men to form a commercial club, made for Thursday night at the court house, was responded to by about 25 within the prescribed age limit, namely, 21 to 40 years, as demanded in the call. On motion H. P. O'Hagan was elected permanent chairman, and C. G. Ruark, secretary. Howard C. Curtis was called upon to state the object of the meeting. He said the time had come for the young men of Southport to come forward and take up the work of advancing the industrial interests of the town. It was the purpose to "boost" Southport. Upon call for members, most of those present were enrolled. After a number of nominations had been made, the following officers were declared elected: H. C. Curtis, president; M. D. Herndon, vice president; W. D. Davis, secretary-treasurer. A committee of four was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws and report on same at a meeting of the club, set for April 10th. There was some discussion over the name for the organization, which was finally decided upon as the Young Men's Business Club.

## WAKE FOREST LOSES FIRST.

**Score 6 to 2 With A. & M. College on Home Grounds Yesterday.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wake Forest, N. C., April 5.—Wake Forest College lost her first game of baseball this season on the home ground to A. & M. by the score of 6 to 2. The game was won by the close playing of the A. & M. and the errors of the locals.


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|---|---|---|
| No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M. | No. 91, a 1:15 A.M. |
| No. 51, * 5:35 A.M. | Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.** | No. 50, *12:20 A.M. |
| No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M. | Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations. | No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M. |
| No. 48, * 8:30 A.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.** | No. 49, * 6:15 P.M. |
| No. 53, * 8:45 A.M. | Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. | No. 52, * 8:05 P.M. |
| No. 55, * 3:15 P.M. | Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.** | No. 54, * 1:40 P.M. |
| No. 62, * 3:25 P.M. | Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations. | No. 63, *12:50 P.M. |
| No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M. | Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations. | No. 60, !10:15 A.M. |
| No. 42, * 6:45 P.M. | Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.** | No. 41, *10:00 A.M. |
| No. 57, ! 7:30 P.M. | Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations. | No. 58, ! 8:15 A.M. |

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**In Effect October 29, 1912.**

**Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.**

| EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Winter Park | EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville | EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for The Beach | WEST BOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington | WEST BOUND. Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington | WEST BOUND. Leave The Beach for Wilmington |
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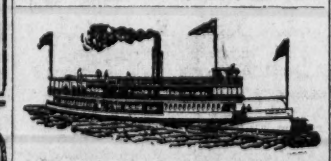

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| Lv. Petersburg | 11:00 a.m. | 10:40 p.m. |
| Lv. Durham | 7:00 a.m. | 5:30 p.m. |
| Lv. Lynchburg | 2:40 p.m. | 2:30 a.m. |
| Ar. Cincinnati | 7:20 a.m. | 6:25 p.m. |
| Ar. Columbus | 6:45 a.m. | 6:55 p.m. |
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FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

Sunday, April 6th, 1913.

Somebody will please break the ice with the straw hat.

Meet me in Wilmington, the city that gratifies and satisfies.

Some men do their country a service by not butting into an office.

Those who have green-backs ought to act white with the balance of us.

When the New York papers want to get a Governor in trouble they make the Governor poke the Tammany tiger.

Too many people waste time making money fly instead of flying around like those people who "make hay while the sun shines."

There is said to be "money in the Italian bee," but our plan to get it out of them is to let some other fellow hold the bee.

Those who boast of their spunk probably have never noticed that four-fifths of it is punk. What guy put the punk in spunk?

Don't be too quick with your gun and your knife. They get you nothing but trouble, with the strong possibility of a severe shock in the electric chair.

Nobody knows what an oyster does for a living, but when it is plump within its shell it shows that a bivalve has a way of its own to get what is coming to it.

With 5,000 barrels of Kentucky rye washed from a Louisville warehouse and floated away by the flood, we begin to realize that the water wagon is no longer a joke.

A good road is the highway of civilization. Show the world the kind of road a people travel and the world will know what the people are without asking to see them.

Somebody will please throw a gas bomb into the midst of those Washington correspondents who are trying to get the Democratic ladies of the capital into an emute sociale.

People who sweep their paper and trash into the streets so the wind can carry the litter all over the place, do not know they are living in a city. Fiji Islanders know better now.

Says a somewhat narrow-minded male person: "A woman's place is in the house." That's why she keeps a full stock of patent medicines or is always telephoning for the doctor.

Keep on bunching your hits for Wilmington. Steal from first to second, pilfer the third sack, then surprise the man in the box by sliding across the home plate. Put all knockers out at first.

It is announced that Miss Gladys Steel has been wedded to Lieutenant Bridge. This seems to be a union that will enable Bridge to bear up well when he is crossed, or something like that.

The Progressive party is reactionary in its one idea that only one man in this country is big enough to be President. The majority of Americans will refuse to enter the anter-room to take the Third Term degree.

Some men stir the imagination of others by the marvelous success they have in keeping right on getting theirs. There are men folks who can turn the trick with a facility that puts it all over a slick duck that knows how to conceal its nest.

Lord Northcliffe offers a prize of $50,000 to the first person who flies in an hydro-aeroplane from any point in Great Britain to any point in America. That is right clever of his lordship but we state most deferentially that our price is $999,999,999.

Between being taxed and fined, compelled to slow down, made to go to the right, and worrying over punctured tires and the price of gasolene, the owner of a chug wagon is beginning to realize that all a pedestrian has to do is to dodge and keep on going.

In view of the fact that the revolution in Northern Mexico is hard to handle, while Zapata continues to lord it over the south President Huerta is perfectly willing to step aside for General Pedro Lascurain as provisional President. We can't blame Huerta. Nobody would like to be the ham in the Caranza-Zapata sandwich.

With the circumambient air laden with the perfume of the wild honeysuckle and a ravishing atmosphere tinctured with the salicious ozone of the waving ocean, there is no envy in the hearts of those who live in Winsome, Worthwhile Wilmington. It is for others to envy the happy, golucky Wilmington throng, natty in its Spring duds and weaving its way to the movies. Get your tickets for Wilmington! (Advertisement.)

The woman who deposited $65 in her wash tub didn't do so with the idea that it would be "cleaned up," but it was. Such incidents furnish an object lesson which teaches that the safest place to deposit filthy lucre is in a savings bank. The money lost in banks is a mere bagatelle compared with the vast sums that are lost, stolen or mislaid. Those who are known to carry their wad in their pockets or who make a custom of keeping considerable sums in the house, invite attacks by highwaymen and burglars who not only take money but take life.

## PLANTING FOREST TREES.

If the people of North Carolina were able to conceive the immense loss to the State on account of the destruction of its forests, they would organize at once some system of reforestation. As it is, the mountain people have been brought face to face with the problem and at last they seem to be taking a lesson from Mr. George W. Vanderbilt, who has demonstrated the value of preserving the forests as well as restoring them where they have been practically destroyed. Upon that matter the Raleigh News and Observer says:

"Congressman Hawley, of Oregon, while visiting the Pisgah Forest section, noticed that a number of mountain farmers are beginning to plant trees following the example of Mr. Vanderbilt's forestry experts. This is a hopeful sign. We live in a day when the axe is laid at the root of the tree. The destruction of the forests is all too often wanton. Our farmers are learning to plow deep, to plant cover crops in Winter, to spray fruit trees and many other useful lessons. Why not give more thought to fringing the farm with the black walnut, the pecan, the sugar maple, the Douglas fir and other trees, wherever climatic and soil conditions are favorable? The cedar, beautiful for ornament and the sheath of the school boy's lead pencil, is well night becoming extinct. Plant trees."

Eastern North Carolina has been a terrible sufferer on account of the wanton destruction of her long leaf pine forests. Great areas have been cut out and burned out, and hogs and stock have prevented their re-growth. For some cause or other, it has been observed that once a pine forest is cut over it becomes a barren. It was believed that the long leaf pine would not naturally reproduce, but that idea has been exploded. There was a cause for the failure of our valuable pines to recover in the cut-away areas, and that cause has been traced to the razor back hog and to forest fires.

The idea that the long leaf pine would not reforest itself has been effectually exploded in New Hanover county. After the stock law was introduced, pine areas were naturally reproduced and are growing finely. Passengers on the trolley cars between Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach can get occular demonstration of that fact. The lands donated to the city and county a few days ago by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacRae furnish a splendid example of natural reforestation. That area is near Winter Park Gardens, and upon it there is a vigorous and wonderful growth of stately pines. This reproduction has been brought about by no systematic effort or plan of reforestation, but it has resulted from the circumstance that it was let alone, or rather that the pine rooters and forest burners were not allowed to get in their destructive work.

The Butters Lumber Company, of Columbus county, has furnished a still more valuable object lesson. Mr. E. B. Wright, of that company, said recently that twenty years ago his company, after purchasing thousands of acres of timber land, began to preserve them. When mill timber was cut away, the young growth was left and carefully protected. Barren stretches were reforested, and the result has been that these valuable forests have yielded four cuttings of timber during the twenty years that attention has been given to them because of their future value.

Mr. Wright's company has had an immense amount of trouble from the old custom of letting hogs and cattle run at large and because of numerous men who went out every Spring and set the woods afire.

It cost the Butters people large amounts to hire forest guards, but the result has been one of complete satisfaction, to the company. It has paid, and the work is being kept up because it means the salvation of the great Boardman lumber manufacturing industry that has been worth hundreds of thousands to Columbus county. Mr. Wright says there is no excuse for exhausting a forest, and that the lumber industry can be carried on indefinitely where intelligent preservation and reforestation are followed. Had the company not instituted that work from the start, there would now be no great saw and planing mills at Boardman. They would have exhausted the forests ten years ago, and that would have been the end of it.

We have begun too late to appreciate the wealth of our once great and unrivalled long leaf pine forests, magnificent in their area and grand in their giant growth. Witness the melancholy disappearance of Wilmington's once immense naval stores industry. This region once led the world in the production of naval stores, but forest exhaustion and destruction shifted the premiership to Georgia and Florida. Fifty years ago had our people done what Mr. Wright is doing in Columbus county, our naval stores wealth would have remained to add to Wilmington's commercial importance, now based upon the fact that it is America's fourth cotton exporting point. Furthermore, the thousands of turpentine men, who emigrated to the Georgia and Florida turpentine regions would have remained here to grow up families to aid in developing a region with possibilities that are unequalled anywhere on the topside of the globe. We can restore our naval stores wealth for posterity if we will reforest and take care of our trees.

## OUR TRUNK LINE ADVANTAGES.

The Rocky Mount Telegram has served the purpose of reminding us to refer to the immense advantage of North Carolina in being cleaved north and south by the lines of three of the greatest railroad systems in the South. Says the Telegram:

"North Carolina has occasion to observe two distinct policies of railroad management and advancement, both of them within 100 miles of each other traversing the State. We refer to the Seaboard Air Line and the Atlantic Coast Line. The present policy of the Seaboard Air Line is, as far as possible, to advance into as much territory as possible and to serve as many people as possible, with a second view to efficiency in railroad operation. The Atlantic Coast Line is paying little attention to anything but to what it has at present, and the management is daily plugging ahead in the making of this property more valuable and the making of the main line a veritable trunk line of the most efficient type."

The above is quite true in all the particulars stated, but our esteemed contemporary overlooks the fact that the Coast Line has been a great builder of collateral lines both in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida and other States. Only a few years ago in this State the Coast Line and the Norfolk & Western built the fine coal road from Winston-Salem to Wadesboro, thus really providing the State with its fourth trunk line, running north and south and west. The joint lines penetrate the coal fields of Virginia, and we are yet to realize the tremendous result that inevitably is to follow in the near future. The Clinchfield coal line coming down through the mountain region of North Carolina will have a similar effect, once the movement of coal begins over that line to our ports and manufacturing centers, doubtless as also will yet be witnessed when the Coast Line and Norfolk & Western coal road begins to meet the demand that is sure to come. Both these coal roads were built ahead of the demand in order to be ready at the proper time to meet the great commercial development that is to ensue on account of the Panama Canal.

We will have to amend this by saying that North Carolina has the advantage of being cleaved north and south by four trunk lines, while it is plain that the Norfolk Southern is to be a trunk line running from east to west. Evidently the Seaboard Air Line is to be part of a trunk line to the West some of these days, while the Southern's line from Goldsboro to Asheville possibly may be another east and west trunk line in time to come. All these railroads are contributing immensely to the development of North Carolina, and there is hardly an opportunity that they do not take advantage of it to extend or improve their valuable properties. It requires an immense amount of capital, and our impatience to see them do more things no doubt is greater than the possibilities warrant in developing more territory. When territory already taken in is more completely developed, we can rest assured that the railroads will lose no opportunity to take advantage of all the good opportunities that will warrant the expenditure of their capital. Just now they are not only taking care of their physical properties, but they have adopted plans to aid in developing the resources of their respective territories.

## MEN OF CAPACITY.

Having done quite the proper thing by adopting the commission form of government, the city of Raleigh is now engaged in the selection of its councilmen. The News and Observer has quite the right idea when its suggests to its people:

"Raleigh needs only men of first-class business capacity as its Commissioners. No matter from what occupation, vocation, or profession they come, they should be men who can handle the big affairs of city administration in a way to benefit the people and the city. No failures are wanted in these positions, but men who have demonstrated that they know how to deal with affairs on a practical and business basis."

What is needed in Raleigh is what ought to be done in Wilmington. We should vote for the most competent men.

No hunger strike for us! The English suffragettes hope to give the prison authorities trouble by refusing to eat. That lets them off too light on expenses. They should demand for breakfast coffee with whipped cream, fried chicken a la Carolina, pearl grits, battercakes, tid bits of Pender county ham, white potato crisps, veal cutlets browned in batter and simmered in olive oil, tenderloin steak an inch thick broiled so the juice is retained, beaten egg cookies, sliced Norton yams fried in Jersey butter, corn flower muffins, butter milk biscuits, and pure iced cream divorced completely from "blue john." If that isn't enough they should order the pantry so as to make it too expensive to keep a lady in jail. Hunger strike—bah! in fact, several bahs!

Says the Durham Herald: "It stands to reason that a town would be better governed if its government was administered by men hired for that business and for nothing else." It depends upon whether they know their business and will efficiently perform their duities in the interest of the town instead of their own. An incapable man fitted into a capacious job is a pitiable misfit for which the public itself is responsible. The right kind of men in public positions won't make people tired of their "form" of government.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

These newspaper anecdotes of President Wilson are extremely interesting, and are not at all spoiled by the fact that they have been credited to Peter the Hermit, Scipio, King Lear, Carrie Nation, P. T. Barnum and T. Roosevelt.—Columbia State.

We do not pretend to say that Durham would have adopted the commission form of government if the best possible bill had been offered, but it is but just to the town to say that numbers of people who wanted a commission form felt that they could not endorse the bill submitted for their approval.—Durham Herald.

The sale of cigarettes and intoxicants to children was forbidden in the Isle of Man for years before such a prohibition was enforced in England. Englishmen have legislated mildly against money lenders. The highest interest that can be charged in the island is 6 per cent, and that has been the law for over two hundred years.—New Orleans States.

## GREAT POWER OF THE LION

### Only When Seen in the Wilderness Can One Realize What a Great Beast He Is.

"A very large lion I killed stood three feet and nine inches at the withers and of course carried his head higher than that," writes Stewart Edward White in the American Magazine. "The top of the table at which I sit is only two feet three inches from the floor. Coming through the door at my back that lion's shoulder would stand over a foot higher than half-way up. Look at your own writing desk; your own door. Furthermore, he was nine feet and eleven inches in a straight line from nose to end of tail, or over seven feet along the contour of the back. If he were to rise on his hind feet to strike a man down he would stand somewhere between seven and eight feet tall, depending on how nearly he straightened up.

"He weighed just under 600 pounds, or as much as four well-grown specimens of our own 'mountain lion.' I tell you this that you may realize, as I did not, the size to which a wild lion grows. Either menagerie specimens are stunted in growth or their position and surroundings tend to belittle them, for certainly until a man sees old Leo in the wilderness he has not understood what a fine chap he is.

"This tremendous weight is sheer strength. A lion's carcass when the skin is removed is a really beautiful sight. The great muscles lie in ropes and bands; the forearm thicker than a man's leg, the lithe barrel banded with brawn; the flanks overlaid by the long, thick muscles.

"And this power is instinct with the nervous force of a highly organized being. The lion is quick and intelligent and purposeful; so that he brings to his intenser activities the concentration of vivid passion—whether of anger, of hunger or of desire."

## TRUE VALUE OF OUR LIFE

### Some Great Emergency Furnishes the Test Which Makes Clear the Real Valuation.

There is so much for us to do, so many wrongs to be made right and so many evils to be remedied that a consideration of the petty bickerings of life is far beneath our notice. So long as life runs smoothly in its usual channel we are inclined to attach great importance to the minor details of existence and in time yield largely to their influence.

The terrible test of some great emergency, however, makes clear life's true values. The greatest success that can be attained, the largest fortunes that can be attained, the highest station that can be achieved are as nothing in the closing hours of a man's life. Then it is that he scrutinizes his part for the least vestige of personal good which he has wrought, and it is that memory alone which is worth anything at all to him. He cannot derive much comfort from the wealth he has accumulated, or the social distinction he has attained, but he can and does rely for his eternal reward upon the unselfish and simple service he has rendered for the welfare of others. The life upon which we place so high a value must end some time, sooner perhaps than we imagine. We must build for the future, indeed, not blindly, not selfishly, not brutally, but in that spirit of brave fellowship which measures up to every emergency.

## ORIGIN OF CORN.

As nearly as we know at the present time, corn originated in Central America. Some maintain that the point of origin is north of this, in Mexico. However this may be, the fact is pretty definitely established that America is the native home of what we know as Indian corn, or maize. It is probable that the Indians had several kinds of corn. Perhaps each section of the country had its particular type. Europe, before the discovery of America, produced only the small grains, such as wheat, oats and barley. Those grains went under the name of corn, but the genuine maize was not produced there until seed was secured in America. It is most likely that our popcorn, sweet corn, and, in fact, all of our corn, came from native plants of the Central American countries.—Hoard's Dairyman.


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Lot No. 5.
Boys' Lace Oxfords, tan pat. Leather and Gun Metal, was $3.00 now ..... $1.25

Lot No. 6.
Women's vici Oxfords, great variety, some $1.50 and $2.00 slippers at ..... $1.00

Lot No. 7.
Women's Tan Oxfords and Pumps, some $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Slippers, now only ..... $1.25

Lot No. 8.
Growing girls' Slippers, $2.50 tan strap Pumps, Special Sale ..... $1.25

Lot No. 9.
Men's patent leather Oxfords, some of these goods sold as high as $4.00, but to close them out have marked them down to ..... $1.50

Misses' Tan One-Strap Pumps, 11½ to 2, formerly sold at $2.50, Now ..... $1.50

Lot No. 3.
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# PREMIER MASONIC EVENT

**Annual Reception and Supper of St. John's Lodge to be Held Tuesday Evening in Masonic Temple—Guests of Honor.**

The city's premier Masonic event of the year, the annual reception and supper of St. John's Lodge No. 1, oldest lodge of Masons in the State, will be held in the Masonic Temple Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Preparations for the affair are elaborate and such as will make the 1913 reception one of the most notable in a long series of similar occasions.

Over 450 members of the craft in the State have received invitations and handsomely printed emblematic Masonic folders containing the membership, officers and Past Masters of St. John's, the programme for the entertainment at the annual reception, the menu, a full list of the Grand Lodge officials and Past Grand Masters now living, together with information of interest to the craft. It is expected that more than 200 guests will be in attendance.

The guests of honor are to be the Grand Master, Mr. F. M. Winchester, of Charlotte; the Senior Grand Warden, Mr. F. P. Hobgood, Jr., of Greensboro; and the Junior Grand Warden, Mr. A. B. Andrews, Jr., of Raleigh. Expected to be present are Past Grand Masters C. H. Robinson, John W. Cotton, Richard J. Noble, Walter S. Liddell, H. I. Clark and W. B. McKoy; Assistant Grand Secretary W. W. Wilson, Senior Grand Steward Claude L. Pridgen, Junior Grand Steward R. C. Centwell, Grand Marshal Henry A. Grady, Grand Custodian J. E. Cameron, together with other gentlemen prominent in Masonic circles and in public life.

Dr. John C. Wessell, Master of St. John's, will officiate as master of ceremonies. The first number on the programme is music by St. John's quartette, Mr. W. R. Dosher, first tenor; Mr. A. L. Dosher, second tenor; Mr. W. A. McGirt, first bass, and Mr. W. B. Muse, second bass. Grand Master F. M. Winchester, Senior Grand Warden F. P. Hobgood, Jr., and Junior Grand Warden A. B. Andrews, Jr., will deliver addresses.

The committees on preparation for the reception are as follows:

Entertainment—John C. McEachern, chairman; Isaac W. Solomon and Alexander S. Holden.

Reception—Swift M. Boatwright, chairman; H. W. Colwell, E. E. David, T. D. Love, H. E. Longley, W. C. Vick, S. R. Keyes, M. B. Mintz, L. A. Scott, Wm Struthers, Jr., Wm. A. Whitney.

Music—J. W. Fleet, Geo. L. Johnson.

St. John's present officers are Dr. John C. Wessell, Master; Charles H. Gardner, senior warden; Stuart R. Keyes, junior warden; S. E. Highsmith, treasurer; A. S. Holden, secretary; Linwood D. Latta, senior deacon; Marion E. Graham, junior deacon; Wm. F. King, senior steward; M. Allen Huggins, junior steward; Asa W. Allen, tyler; Rev. J. A. Sullivan, chaplain. The membership of St. John's is now 211.

This annual gathering of the Masons is always a very pleasant, interesting event and is anticipated with pleasure by the members of the lodge.

## THE RECORDER'S COURT

**R. B. Hunt, Colored Officer from Florence, Pays $25 and Costs**

R. B. Hunt, a colored "scout" for Supervisor J. M. McBride, of Florence county, South Carolina, sent here several days ago, it is stated, to apprehend a negro or two wanted in Florence for disposing of mortgaged property, yesterday was released from jail on receipt of money from Supervisor McBride to cover a fine of $25 and costs assessed against Hunt for carrying a gun. Substitute Recorder George Harriss declined to remit the fine and the supervisor sent the money to Chief Fowler. Sheriff Cowan was asked by the supervisor, who was here the other day, to deputize the negro so he could finish his business with the negroes wanted, but the Sheriff had very decided opinions about the color of the skin of his deputies, and promptly declined.

Wash Wiley and Ed. Martin, colored, charged with assault on Mr. Fredellan, were discharged on account of their age, and Wesley Bland was sent to Justice Bornemann's court in the same case, a warrant having been issued prior to the action in the Recorder's court. "Judge" Bornemann thereupon removed it to Justice Harriss' court, where he was fined $5 and costs. Ed. Martin was taxed with the costs in another case against him charging that he played ball in the streets.

Emmanuel Wright, who was arrested for alleged implication in the theft of a bicycle from Mr. R. M. Farmer's small son, will be tried Monday. Virgil Simmons, another negro boy, was sentenced to a year on the roads for stealing the wheel, but it was left open because the boy is only about 11 or 12 years old.

## MEMORIAL TO TITANIC DEAD

**Commemorative Services for Victims of Greatest Maritime Disaster**

The Star is requested to publish the following:

"The day is near at hand which will mark the first anniversary of the destruction of that renowned ship, the Titanic.

"Its horror is still fresh in the minds of all.

"It will be a great solace to those whose hearts still bleed for loved ones lost, to know that a lady of Wilmington has arranged to hold suitable memorial exercises under the sanction of the local Red Cross. It is intended to invite the local clergy to participate, as well as other contributors.

"To Mrs. May Glenn Toon, of Wilmington, is due the credit of originating this beautiful ceremonial. This lady has composed a poem for the occasion, which most touchingly and pathetically describes the disaster. This poem will be offered for sale to the people of the city who desire to contribute, in an inexpensive way, to the cause of humanity. It will be mounted on handsomely decorated post cards, the center of which will be graced by a wreath of daisies—the flower for the month of April.

"At the beach, the ceremony will conclude with casting a mammoth wreath upon the waters, as a tribute to the dead. This ceremony will take place on the pier. In the evening, through the generosity of Howard & Wells, of the Bijou Theater, a beautiful slide picture of the wreath will be shown. The poem which has been set to music will be sung at the Bijou by Mrs. Longfellow for the benefit of the flood sufferers. Messrs. Howard & Wells will contribute a portion of that night's receipts to the Western flood sufferers. One half of the proceeds from the sale of post cards will also go to the same purpose.

"More detailed information will be given later."

# VISITORS TURN THE TABLES

**Donaldson Military School Won Yesterday's Game From the Wilmington High School Team—Cadets Return Home**

In the second of a series of three games, the baseball team of Donaldson Military School, of Fayetteville, at League Park yesterday afternoon defeated the Wilmington High School team by a score of 6 to 4. The first game of the series was played Friday and was won by the local team. At Fayetteville some time in the near future the third game of the series will be played. The Donaldson boys returned to Fayetteville on the evening train yesterday, well satisfied that they had broken even with the crack Wilmington team.

The game yesterday was fairly well attended by local fans and students of the High School. In the first three inning, Donaldson scored all of their runs, four of them being secured in the first inning. Sheppard went in the box to pitch for Wilmington at the end of the second inning and pitched a good game for the remaining seven innings. Wilmington scored in the first, second and eighth innings and had other opportunities but did not take advantage of them. Fry was the twirler for the visitors and he pitched a good game. Graham, H., for Donaldson, was probably the star of the game, getting three hits out of four times at the bat. The game was characterized by general good playing on the part of both teams.

Tabulated Score

| WILMINGTON | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Burnett, R., 1b | 2 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 1 | 0 |
| Palmgren, ss | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| Merriman, lf | 5 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Burnett, C., c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Litgen, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Grant, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Williams, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Strange, 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Jacobs, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Sheppard, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Thompson, F | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| oTtals | 30 | 4 | 9 | 24 | 19 | 8 |

| DONALDSON | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Graham, H., 2b | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Stowe, 3b | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Salley, lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Newton, cf | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kirven, 1b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| Glover, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Graham, D c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Boggs, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fry, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Totals | 37 | 6 | 7 | 17 | 10 | 3 |

| Score by innings: | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wilmington | 120 000 010 | 4 | 9 | 8 |
| Donaldson | 411 000 000 | 6 | 7 | 3 |

Summary—Two-base hits, Burnett, R., Salley, Merriman. Base on balls: Off Jacobs, 2 in three innings; Sheppard, 2 in six innings; Fry, 5. Struck out by Jacobs, 2; Sheppard, 2; Fry, 5. Stolen bases: Wilmington, Burnett, R. (5); Palmgren (2); Litgen (2); Williams. Donaldson: Graham, Newton, Boggs and Fry. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Lutterloh.

## CONFERENCE OF EDUCATORS.

**Southern Teachers in Various Subjects to Meet in Richmond.**

April 14th-18th the annual meetings of various teaching bodies in the different schools of the Southern States will be held in Richmond, Va., and will be attended by several hundred educators from all the Southern States. The meeting of the county superintendents will be of special interest to a number of North Carolina educators and Prof. Washington Catlett, superintendent of New Hanover, will probably be present on this occasion.

Mr. Zebulon Judd, superintendent of Wake county, is secretary of the organization. Prof. J. I. Foust, of the State Normal at Greensboro, is secretary of the organization of presidents of State colleges. Miss Elizabeth A. Colton, of Raleigh, is secretary of the Southern Association of College Women. State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner is chairman of the State Superintendents of Public Instruction, which will deal largely at this meeting with the subject of raising and distribution of school funds. Mr. N. W. Walker, of Chapel Hill, is secretary of the colleges and preparatory schools of the Southern States. A number of addresses will be delivered by North Carolina people.

A big feature of the annual conference on education is the prominent place given to the subject of rural schools. The attention of the public has been called as never before to the need of better facilities in common, free schools, the college of the masses of the people; and at this meeting in Richmond every phase of the subject will receive close attention. The meeting is one of very great importance in educational circles and will be largely attended by teachers and educators in official positions.

## MISSION SERVICES AT TRINITY

**Mrs. H. M. Melville to Deliver Address at Trinity Methodist Church**

Mrs. H. M. Melville, of Baltimore, will make an address on the subject of home and foreign missions at Trinity Methodist church, corner Ninth and Market streets, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. She is well versed in mission work, being an active officer in the home mission activities of the Baltimore conference. Those present at the meeting which was held last week by the ladies of the Wilmington district were greatly helped by the information given by Mrs. Melville.

Also Mrs. K. C. Shaw, with whom many of the people of this city are acquainted, will be present to help interest the young people in the work. Mrs. Shaw has made this work of missions a special study and any church may count itself fortunate that has the privilege of her services. All are requested to attend, especially the young and the older ladies.

## MISS EUPHREMIA MOTT DEAD.

**Aged Lady Passed Away Yesterday Morning—Interment at Currie.**

Miss Euphremia Mott, aged 72 years, died yesterday morning at 10:05 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Perry, 1219 Market street. The funeral service will be conducted from the family home this morning at 7 o'clock by Rev. C. T. Rogers, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, of which congregation the deceased was a devoted member, and the remains will be taken to Currie on the 8:45 train and interment made in the family burying ground at Moore's Creek. Miss Mott is survived by two sisters, Mrs. G. W. Williamson and Mrs. J. A. Perry, with whom she lived, and one brother, Mr. A. J. Mott, all of this city, who have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

# REPORT OF GRAND JURY

**County Institutions Found to be in Splendid Condition and Officials Commended—Some Recommendations**

Having finished its work for the term, the grand jury made final report to Judge Justice at 1 o'clock yesterday afterncon and was discharged for the term, after receiving the thanks of the court. The report was in striking contrast to the report made by the grand jury of the January term of court, when the county institutions, such as the jail, convict camp and home were found to be in rather unsatisfactory condition. The April grand jury finds the institutions in excellent condition and commends the county officials. Only a few recommendations were made. The report follows:

"To His Honor, Judge H. M. Justice, Presiding, March Term Superior Court, New Hanover County.

"We, the grand jury selected at this term of Superior Court of New Hanover county, beg to submit our report as follows: We have made seven presentments. We have examined and reported to the court 19 true bills. We have returned to the court three indictments continued for lack of witnesses.

"Committees from this body have carefully examined the county institutions, and beg to report as follows:

"County Home—Following up the report of the last grand jury a committee composed of 15 members of this body visited the county home and beg to say that we found the same to be in splendid condition, the farm grounds have a well-kept appearance, and the inside of the home is all that is to be desired. We desire to commend the superintendent and County Commissioners for the excellent shape this place is now in.

"Convict Camp—The main camp on Market street road has been thoroughly cleaned up and white washed and presents a neat, clean and healthy appearance. The prisoners were brought in from the rock quarry while we were there and were given their dinners. A new kitchen has been installed for the cooking and is provided with utensils which are not used for any other purpose. There were some prisoners who claimed to be sick and were under the care of the county physician. All of them, with one exception, were simply ailing, the sick one was to be moved to the hospital, unless improved this week.

"Convict Camp, Whiskey Creek—This camp is in good condition with the exception of the fact that new canvas covers are needed to protect the inmates from bad weather. At this camp one man is sick and reports that the doctor has not been to see him. We suggest the more frequent visits of the county physician to this camp. At this camp there was a suspected case of smallpox about a month ago, and the county physician advised that the prisonrs be not taken to the main camp at the weekend until this case had been properly diagnosed. The prisoners return to the main camp as usual, commencing at this date, for the week-end.

"County Jail—At present this place is being thoroughly renovated, the walls are being scraped and calsomined. A wooden floor has been placed in the cage for white prisoners, and a cork matting in the cage for colored. This jail is not large enough for the present needs, but we are advised that the County Commissioners have under advisement the building of an addition. We find the conditions in the place generally to be good.

"Court House—We have carefully examined this building and find that same is extremely dirty, and that soap and water, and a desire to change conditions would bring about quite a needed change. As regards the improvements as suggested by our predecessors, we are informed by the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners that these suggestions have not been overlooked; that the room in the northwestern corner of the building is being converted into a court for the Recorder and that other matters will have attention as soon as the county funds will admit of it.

"The Sheriff is desirous that a proper means of taking care of articles which are used as evidence, before the court be given him, as several articles have lately been taken from him. We suggest this be done. We suggest a new fiber matting for the space occupied by the bar in the court room, and the hall leading to the jury rooms. There are two holes in the wall at the rear of this building that ought to be fixed.

"Condition of Roads—Committees from this body have inspected the roads of the county and find that generally they are sadly in need of repairs, and we would especially call attention to the following:

"Scott's Hill road, commencing three miles from the city, running toward Scott's Hill.

"Shell road, from Second Toll House to Wrightsville Sound.

"We would recommend that the old Holly Shelter road from Castle Haynes to Island Creek be repaired.

"Respectfully submitted.

"J. M. STEVENSON,
"Foreman.

"B. FRANK BRITTAIN, JR.,
"Secretary."

## FORM CREDIT ASSOCIATION

**Retail Lumber Dealers Organize for Mutual Protection**

At a called meeting of the various lumber companies doing a retail business in this city, a few days ago, it was decided, in fact, deemed necessary, to associate themselves for mutual protection in extending credit to purchasers of lumber. The association will be styled The Retail Lumber Dealers' Association of Wilmington, and the present membership consists of the following: Chadbourn Lumber Company, Cantwell Lumber Company, Wilmington Door & Lumber Company, Camp Manufacturing Company, Wynnewood Lumber ompany, C. F. Howell and Clark-Lynch Lumber Company.

Officers of the association were elected as follows: C. C. Chadbourn, president; E. Norfleet, secretary and treasurer, and A. S. Williams, attorney. The sole object of the association, as stated by the membership, is for protection against purchasers of lumber who lack either the inclination or ability to pay for material purchased. The association will undoubtedly be of great benefit to the retail lumbermen in eliminating bad accounts from their books, and will also have a tendency to protect the reputable contractors and builders of the city.

**Big Special Release.**

Great historical picture at the Grand Theatre tomorrow. Produced with the assistance of the Imperial Russian army. Be sure you see it.

(Advertisement.)

# THREE YEARS IN PRISON

**W. G. Baldwin Given Term in State Penitentiary—Holly Case Continued and Special Term of Court to Try Likely.**

W. G. Baldwin, the Castle Haynes merchant and saw mill man, who was convicted in Superior Court Thursday afternoon of a charge of assault with intent to maim Mary Stewart, colored, in an altercation at her home some weeks ago, was yesterday morning sentenced by Judge Justice to three years at hard labor in the State penitentiary. No appeal will be entered and the defendant will be taken to Raleigh early this week to begin his term.

Mary Stewart was shot by Boldwin and as a result of the wound her right leg was amputated above the knee. She is in a weakened condition and is still receiving treatment at the hospital in this city, though she was able to attend the trial and appear as a witness against the defendant.

When Baldwin was brought into court yesterday morning Solicitor Shaw said that he would be content with whatever action Judge Justice saw fit to take in the case. Similar views were expressed by A. G. Ricaud and W. P. Gafford, Esqs., who appeared in the case as private prosecutors. C. D. Weeks and L. Clayton Grant, Esqs., addressed the court in behalf of the defendant. Hon. John D. Bellamy, who did not appear as counsel in the case, also made a plea for the defendant, for the sake of his wife and children. Messrs. Weeks and Grant in their remarks called attention of the court to the fact that their client was a married man and had three children and that the innocent ones would be the greatest sufferers as the result of the father's conviction. Baldwin, they stated, did not have any property. Mr. Bellamy said that he had known the defendant for 35 years and that he was a good man except when drinking. He also asked the court to bear in mind in passing sentence that the wife and children would suffer from any penalty imposed upon Baldwin.

Judge Justice, in passing sentence, said that he realized what hardship would result to the prisoner's family, but as the law had been violated and the defendant had been convicted by a jury it was his duty, though an unpleasant one, to impose sentence. He remarked that he believed the defendant had been selling whiskey and that he had intended to make his escape Thursday when he left the Court House, however, he would hold neither of these circumstances against him in pronouncing the judgment of the court in the case before him. It had been suggested, said Judge Justice, that the defendant arrange to compensate the injured woman as a part of his punishment, but that he had decided not to allow this, as it would be taking bread out of the mouths of the defendant's wife and children. In passing sentence of three years, Judge Justice called attention to the fact that the maximum penalty for the offense of which Baldwin was convicted is 10 years.

The case against J. C. Holly, charged with arson, it being alleged that he set fire to the Rock Springs Hotel three years ago, was continued and it is likely that a special term of court will beheld within the next two or three months to try the defendant. Judge Justice said that he would recommend that a special term be held. The attorneys for the defendant, C. D. Weeks and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esqs., insisted upon a trial at this term of court, but the case could not be reached, it was said, so it was decided yesterday to ask for a special term of court. Judge Justice concurred in the idea and said he would recommend it. Holly is reported to be in a bad physical condition and Judge Justice said that he would instruct the Sheriff to allow the prisoner to exercise in the corridor of the jail and also upon recommendation of the county superintendent of health he would be privileged to stroll out in the jail yard occasionally. Holly has been tried three times for the murder by poisoning of Edward Cromwell, a youth, who perished in the hotel fire, and the last time he was acquitted. The evidence in the arson case is said to be practically the same as developed in the murder trial.

The grand jury at this term of court made some investigations, it is said, with the idea that there were other persons connected with the alleged murder and arson, but not sufficient evidence was adduced to bring indictments. Three bills of indictment were reported to have been continued until the next term of court for lack of evi- reported to have been continued until dence and it is not improbable that one or two of these had to do with the Rock Springs Hotel fire mystery.

The jury in the case against James Teel, the negro youth, charged with burglary, filed into the court room shortly before noon yesterday after being out since 7 o'clock Friday evening, and announced their inability to reach a verdict. A juror was withdrawn and a mistrial ordered. The jury stood 11 for acquittal and one for forcible trespass. It was alleged that the youth with another negro, unknown, entered the room of John Davis, No. 514 North Ninth street, on the night of February 19th, and beat Davis' wife into unconsciousness and carried away some money and other articles. Teel had a room at the same place. The general impression among those who heard the evidence was that no case had been made out against the defendant, who was ably represented by W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq. After a mistrial had been ordered yesterday Mr. Turner asked that in view of the fact that 11 jurors were for acquittal and one for forcible trespass that the solicitor drop the case. Solicitor Shaw said that he would rather the case remain on the docket. Judge Justice recognized the defendant in the sum of $100 with Horace Cogdell, colored, as surety, for his appearance at the next term of court.

John Law, colored, who was convicted a few days ago for running a disorderly house, was sentenced yesterday morning to 18 months on the roads. Law was indicted by the last grand jury for selling whiskey, but this case was nol prossed early in this term and another charge preferred against him.

Eva Davis, Grace George and Madge Lambert, charged with nuisance, entered pleas of guilty. Prayer for judgment was continued in case on payment of the costs, the defendants being recognized for their appearance at the next term of court to show good behavior.

Marsden Sellers entered a plea of guilty to a charge of violating the prohibition law and prayer for judgment was continued until the July term, 1914, without prejudice to court to pronounce judgment at any intervening term. Henry Brown, colored, who was sentenced to three months on the roads for carrying a concealed weapon, was allowed to pay a fine of $25 and costs instead. The sentence of Dave Nixon, colored, who was convicted of larceny, was changed from six months to four months. In the case against Frank Brown, charged with keeping a disorderly house, the former judgment is to be stricken out if the defendant renews his bond in 30 days. The forfeiture of bond in the Baldwin case was stricken out upon payment of the cost of the re-arrest.

Arley Carter, a young white man of Delgado, was arrested yesterday morning on a charge of abandonment, the indictment having originated with the grand jury. Yesterday afternoon Carter entered a plea of guilty through his counsel, John D. Bellamy & Son. Mrs. Carter, a pretty little woman, apparently not out of her teens, was in court. Judge Justice told the defendant that he had a pretty wife and advised him to provide for her as it is his duty to do. The defendant agreed and the couple left the court room, apparently happy. The defendant was recognized with his mother to appear at the next term of court to show that he had kept his agreement.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK will be held at their office on Front and Princess Streets, on Tuesday, April 8th, at 4:00 P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

J. HOLMES DAVIS,
Cashier.

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Capital and Surplus of over $340,000.00, and Resources of exceeding $2,400,000 are our abundant guarantee of SAFETY.

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New Season Styles That are Bright With Attractive Beauty

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Why YOU Should Do Your Spring Shopping here! That is a Fair question to ask us, and we will try to answer it, without prejudice. First: Because this store has been the acknowledged style LEADER in Wilmington for a long time. Our reputation for carrying ONLY the BEST and HANDSOMEST Styles, and only authoritative Styles, has never been questioned. Since those are what YOU want, that is one mighty good reason for choosing HERE. Second: We are content with a SMALL—department store—profit, and we are never undersold. That is another potent reason, and one that NO woman should overlook, since it actually means that HERE HER MONEY BUYS MOST.

Other inducements to buy here are: Larger assortments, a big business that permits no old styles to accumulate, and a well trained sales force that serves your wishes carefully, quickly and courteously.

Now, won't you please read all that again, and then think what it really means to you, who have Spring needs to fill.

WILMINGTON'S BEST SILK STORE OFFERS

Our 27-inch Pongee Silk is very popular, and is priced Special, at a yd. 89c

Our 36-inch Colored Charmeuse Messaline, in Pink, Light Blue, Copenhagen, Brown, Navy, Gray, Lavender, Wilson Green, White and Black; regular $1.25 values; Special at a yd. 93c

Our 36-inch Pure Silk Bordered Foulards, in a beautiful line of Spring shades; regular $1.00 quality; Special, a yard ..... 59c

Our 24-inch Colored Brocaded Silks are priced Special at a yard .... 89c

Ouur 36-inch Colored Wash Silks; our regular $1.00 quality; priced Special, at a yard ..... 79c

Our 27-inch Kimona Silks; something new; regular 35c quality; priced Special, at a yard ..... 25c

Our 36-inch Striped Messalines; regular $1.00 quality; priced Special, at a yard ..... 75c

A MOST NOTEWORTHY SHOWING OF NEW DRESS FABRICS FOR SPRING.

Your attention is called to our displays of Summer Ratines and Voiles, among which we offer in Tan, Lavender, Copenhagen, Cream, and White, at, a yard ..... 25c

40-inch Colored Egyptian Bordered Voiles; priced Special, a yard .. 25c

36-inch White Crepe Cloth; extra fine quality; Special, a yard ..... 25c

27-inch Crepe Waisting; quite sheer, with Pin Stripe; Special, a yard 12½c

40-inch Luna Lawns; extra fine quality, at, a yard ..... 15c, 20c and 25c

36-inch Colored Linen Crash; full showing of colors; Special, a yard..... 35c, 45c and 50c

27-inch Colored Dimities; regular 25c quality; Special, a yard ..... 19c

27-inch Colored Piques; priced Special, at a yard ..... 25c

SEE OUR BEAUTIFUL COLLECTION of NEW SPRING SUITS and DRESSES

The colorings this year are more striking than they have been in years, and the styles and drapes are more original and distinctive. We are enthusiastic over this display, and we urge you to see it. There are so many handsome Dresses in this display that you will like.

THE C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

# SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. W. L. DeRosset and Miss Anita DeRosset are guests of Mrs. E. P. Bailey, on Ann street.

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Mr. W. F. Busch and bride, who was Miss Roberta Brady, returned yesterday from their wedding tour to Northern cities and are at home, No. 314 Red Cross street.

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The public is cordially invited to attend the annual Spring sale of St. John's Parish Guild, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the Parish House, Third and Red Cross streets.

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Rev. Dr. M. M. Kinard, president of the North Carolina Lutheran Synod, who is here for the installation of Rev. F. B. Clausen as pastor of St. Paul's church, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder, corner Eighth and Market streets.

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The Young Women's Missionary Society of Fifth Street Methodist church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the residence of Mrs. Gardner, corner Fifth and Church streets, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. All members of the society are requested to attend.

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Of much pleasant interest to a host of friends here and elsewhere throughout the State is the announcement of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Juliet Merriman, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Merriman, of this city, and Mr. A. Clinton Smith, a well known and popular young business man. The marriage, it is understood, will take place in May.

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Mrs. Norman R. Hamilton and children, of Norfolk, have returned home after a visit of a week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Foard, North Fifth street. Mr. Hamilton is a newspaper man on the staff of TheVirginian-Pilot and his acquaintances here are interested in the prospects he has of being appointed collector of the port of Norfolk.

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Southport News, 3rd: "Mrs. J. E. Fishburne, of Lewiston, Mont., who has been spending the Winter here visiting relatives, left last night for her home in the West, accompanied by Miss Zoe Bailey, sister of Sergeant Bailey, of Fort Caswell." Miss Bailey, Leland's bright school teacher, intends to teach in Montana and also lay claim to a section of the public domain, which is being thrown open to settlers.

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### MISS BESSIE BURKHEIMER RETURNS HER THANKS

I wish to extend my thanks to the Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., to the members of the cast, to the press, to the patronesses and to all friends who so loyally supported my musical comedy, "The Girl Who Dared." I have never had better support or as pleasant renewals of friendship from the citizens of my former home, and the home of my parents and grandparents. To each and all I sincerely thank you.

MISS BESSIE VIRGINIA BURKHEIMER.

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### BATTLE OF SHILOH COMMEMORATED BY U. D. C.

Commemorative exercises of the Battle of Shiloh were held yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the W. L. I. armory by the Cape Fear Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. Mrs. M. G. Saunders read a vivid account of the celebrated battle, one of the greatest of the war. Mrs. W. C. Jarnigan, of Atlanta, sang exquisitely the old Southern lullaby, "Rocking in the Wind", and, encored, sang "Springtide", by Becker. Miss Carolyn Northrop recited most charmingly, "Returned Battle Flags", and Mrs. Cameron MacRae gave "A Birthday", by Frederick H. Cowan, receiving an enthusiastic encore. Delightful refreshments were served to the Daughters and their guests.

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### ENTERTAINMENT TUESDAY NIGHT AT THE ACADEMY.

"What Happened to Jones" to be given Tuesday evening at the Academy, is reported to be a play in which the college boys show remarkable dramatic ability and in which they appear with an "all star" cast.

The advance sale of seats has been large and a good house and sympathetic audience is assured. The proceeds of the performance are for the district nurse who is supported through the efforts of the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters. The play will be one of the social events of the season and the generous support of the public in the advance sale of seats is evidence of their appreciation both of a good cause and an excellent dramatic production.

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### THEIR SILVER WEDDING CELEBRATED IN CLINTON

Clinton, N. C., April 5—One of the most attractive functions given in Clinton in several seasons was the reception by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Partrick, Sr., Friday evening, celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

The halls, parlor and dining room were beautifully decorated with ferns, vines, white carnations and Killarney roses in profusion. The guests were met at the door by Miss Rebecca Herring, who conducted them to the receiving line in the parlor. Those in the receiving line were: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Partrick, Sr., Mr. Theodore Partrick, Jr., Miss Maude Partrick, Mrs. A. H. Holmes, sister of Mrs. Partrick, Mrs. W. N. Cronly, and Mrs. Robert Nash.

The guests were conducted by Miss Lula Cassidey from the parlor to the dining room, where punch was served by Miss Annie Laurie Partrick. Afterward cream and cake were served.

During a part of the evening most delightful music was rendered by the Clinton orchestra.

A large table was laden with many beautiful pieces of silver, the gifts of the numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. Partrick.

Mrs. Partrick, before her marriage, was Miss Mary Anna Hall, the daughter of the late Col. E. D. Hall, of Wilmington.

Many beautiful dresses were in evidence. The hostess wore white charmeuse with silver trimmings and white carnations; Miss Maude Partrick wore pale blue messaline with dew-dron net draped over it, and white carnations; Mrs. Holmes was gowned in black crepe de chine; Mrs. Cronly was becomingly attired in cream with lace trimmings; Mrs. Nash wore light blue silk and lace; Miss Annie Partrick wore yellow charmeuse; and Miss Rebecca Herring wore yellow brocade silk with crystal trimmings.

The out-of-town guests were: Mesdames A. H. Holmes, W. N. Cronly and Robert Nash, of Wilmington.

### Red Cross Relief.

The Red Cross Society yesterday received $43 for the funds of the relief of the flood sufferers, making to total of $600.36 that the city and nearby towns have raised. The list yesterday is: Mayor J. D. Smith, $25; Mrs. J. H. Rehder $5; Roger Moore, $5; A Friend $5; Miss ——, $1; A Friend, $1.

# PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. F. B. Orr, of Currie, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Sheriff John E. Robinson, of Brunswick county, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. Lewis J. Stein has returned from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., having graduated from Eastman Business College.

—Mr. Phillip C. Witte, of Buffalo, N. Y., is in the city to settle up the affairs of his brother, the late Mr. George C. Witte.

—Mayor Joseph D. Smith underwent a slight operation of the nose yesterday, necessitating his absence from his office. He expects to be out again tomorrow.

### WINOCA TERRACE.

**An Important Work of City Building That is Going Steadily Forward.**

There has not been a sincere lover of Wilmington who has not noted with pleasure the improvement and development of what is now Beautiful Winoca Terrace, the announcement of which appears elsewhere in today's paper.

Two years ago the present owners of the greater part of this section began the task of changing the unsightly, unattractive valleys and hills into ideal homes, etc.

Steadily, with faith in their city, themselves and the appreciation of our people, they have kept actively at work. It has been a daily sight to see dozens of carts, gangs of men opening streets, laying sidewalks, constructing culverts, busy at the task of city building.

All the work that was planned has been done well. The idea in this development has always been, not how cheap, but how good.

Winoca Terrace—the name is the attractive combination of W-i of Wilmington, N-o of North, and C-a of Carolina—is a section that any city of any size would be glad to claim as its development and particularly so when it is done by Wilmington men, from start to finish.

The property today looks like a beautiful park, with its well laid cement sidewalks, with its avenues of trees and shrubs.

Here and there the piles of brick, lumber and material, incident to the building of homes, show the look-ahead person that Winoca Terrace is being appreciated and in a short while it will be dotted with modern attractive homes, built on lots of a width and depth that enables the lover of grass and flowers to make beautiful and "homey."

The location of Winoca is probably the highest section of Wilmington, overlooking the thickly settled portion, both west and east, and being on a hill splendid drainage is assured.

The accessibility of the place is also a great factor in its quick development, as it adjoins both the Carolina and the suburban car line.

Churches and schools are also within easy walking distance and with the steady development of Market street, our central boulevard, all this portion of Wilmington is improving at a rate that astonishes our visitors and more than gratifies our people.

### WILL INSTALL PASTOR.

**Interesting Service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church This Morning.**

This morning at 11 o'clock Rev. Frederick B. Clausen, who took charge of the pastorate of St. Paul's Lutheran church last October, will be formally inducted into the pastorate. President M. M. Kinard, Ph.D., D. D., of the North Carolina Synod, will perform the act of installation and will deliver the charge to the congregation. The charge to the pastor will be delivered by Dr. G. C. Berkemeier, of New York, and Rev. George McClanahan will have charge of the services. This evening the Christian Association will celebrate its 25th anniversary with appropriate ceremonies at St. Paul's, the sermon being preached by Dr. Berkemeier, who will be assisted in the services by Dr. Kinard and Mr. Clanahan. Tomorrow evening there will be a banquet in the Luther Memorial Hall, in commemoration of the founding of the association, at which there will be a number of guests of the members of the organization.

### DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD.

**Yesterday's List of Instruments Showing Realty Transfers.**

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows:

Fidelity Trust & Development Co., to Thos. E. Cooper, for $900 and other considerations, lot 14, block 4, Sunset Park.

T. K. Curtis to C. W. Melton, for $60, parcel in Masonboro township.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., trustee, to J. T. King, for $100 and other considerations, lot on south side Chestnut street, 132 feet east of 15th, 132x155 feet in size.

Dixie Land & Development Co., to D. T. Worley, of Selma, for $10 and other considerations, lots 18 and 19, block 1, South Wilmington Heights.

Thos. E. Cooper and wife to O. T. Wallace, for $400 and other considerations, lot 59, block K, Wrightsville Beach Extension.

### CO-OPERATION IS SUGGESTED.

**Wilmington and Southport May Adopt Plan of Working Together.**

President M. J. Corbett, of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, has received a letter from President M. C. Guthrie and Secretary C. L. Stevens, of the Southport Chamber of Commerce, suggesting that a movement be started by the two bodies for a twin-port co-operation between Wilmington and Southport. The suggestion was well received by President Corbett, who instructed the secretary to write the Southport Chamber that the Wilmington body would be pleased to co-operate on any plan that would tend toward the betterment of this section. It is likely that committees will be appointed from the two bodies to work out some plan of operation.

### WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE

**Mr. Rhodes Named as Delegate from Wrightsboro Association**

At a meeting Thursday night of the Wrightsboro Truckers' Association Mr. W. E. Rhodes was named as a delegate to represent the organization at the farmers' conference at Richmond, Va., April 16th to 18th. Mr. J. P. Herring, county demonstrator, was appointed at a previous meeting to look after the packing and grading of lettuce with a view of raising the standard of the packages.

### Dying in Asylum

Chairman M. S. Willard, of the Board of County Commissioners, received a card yesterday from Supt. W. W. Faison, of the State Hospital for insane negroes, at Goldsboro, stating that one Chaney Wilson, who was admitted to the asylum from this county on the 18th of November, 1910, is in a very low state of health and cannot live a great while. Request was made to let her relatives know her condition.

# LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. James E. Howard yesterday purchased from Mr. H. L. Fennell, the popular auto dealer, a handsome five-passenger touring car, of the Hudson six-cylinder type, a car that is appealing more and more to motor folks.

—Mr. M. O. Alexander will speak at the colored Y. M. C. A. meeting on Campbell street this afternoon at 5 o'clock, to men only. The colored men are invited to attend this service, which promises to be both interesting and profitable to them.

—License to marry was issued yesterday to Mr. Charlie L. Bowden, of Virgina Beach, Va., and Miss Winnie L. Sanders, of Federal Point township. The wedding will take place today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rate Sanders, Justice S. A. Lewis officiating. The groom is employed in a fishing enterprise at Fort Fisher.

—Maj. H. W. Stickle, United States Engineer in charge of this district, has given notice of a further extension of paragraph five of the "Regulations Governing Navigation on Cape Fear river, N. C., at and below Wilmington." The paragraph in question provides that "tugs with more than one vessel in tow will not be allowed to pass any dredge at work in the channel." The regulation is suspended under the recent order until June 30th, 1913.

—Ollie Roderick, a young white girl, taken from Caledonia Roderick when the latter was sentenced to two years for keeping a disorderly house disappeared from the home of the Salvation Army, and it was supposed that the woman, whose time for leaving the county expires today, had taken the child and gone to other parts. An effort was made to get the girl back and last night she was found at the Roderick place and is in custody.

### CIVIL TERM OF COURT.

**Criminal Branch Expired by Limitation Midnight—Solicitor Shaw.**

The one-week term of Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases expired by limitation last midnight and tomorrow morning the two weeks' civil term will begin. Judge Justice, who presided last week, will preside over the civil term. There are a large number of cases on the calendar, some of considerable importance, and it is expected that much progress will be made during the term toward clearing the docket.

Solicitor Henry E. Shaw, of Kinston, has completed his work in New Hanover county, unless there should be a special term of criminal court before July 1st, when the new districts provided for by the last Legislature come into existence. Mr. Shaw has been solicitor of this district for a little over two years and has made many friends in Wilmington, who regret that he is not to continue to prosecute the docket in this county because they will not get to see him as often as formerly. Many friends expressed to him yesterday and last night their regrets. In appreciation of the solicitor's friendship and as a token of the high esteem in which he holds him, Sheriff S. P. Cowan yesterday presented to Solicitor Shaw a handsome gold match box. Engraved on the match box was the solicitor's monogram and this inscription: "From S. P. Cowan". The Solicitor very greatly appreciates the token.

### RUMOR AS TO POSTMASTERSHIP.

**Recorder John J. Furlong Says He is in the Race to Win.**

Interest in the contest for postmastership was intensified yesterday afternoon when it was currently reported that Recorder John J. Furlong, who had been in a receptive mood for some time, had been given assurances that he would be named as postmaster and confirmed some time this week and that he expected to take office about Thursday or Friday morning. Mr. Furlong stated last night that he was a candidate for the office and was in the race to win. It is known that Recorder Furlong has strong political backing and announcement from Washington that he had been appointed for the office would not come as a very great surprise to those in Wilmington who have kept up with the situation.

Congressman Godwin in a letter to a citizen of this place a few days ago said that he had already decided upon whom he would recommend for the appointment and that after he conferred with Senators Simmons and Overman on Monday and they were favorable to his choice the recommendation would then go to the Postmaster General. Some seem to think that the appointment of a postmaster will be made Wednesday or Thursday of this week.

### NEW COCA-COLA PLANT.

**Bottling Works Move to New Building on Tenth and Princess.**

The Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Inc., formerly located on Walnut street, are now in the new plant on 10th and Princess streets, and a number of features will claim public attention to the new place of business. The new plant is 45x65 feet, two stories, and no expense has been spared in making the place sanitary and modern. New machinery of the latest type handles the bottles inside and out, sterilizing them, and a contrivance gotten up by the company carries the sterilized bottles from the cleaner to the filling machine. The capacity of the new plant is 125 dozen bottles per hour, every one handled from first to last by machinery, doing away with hand work and using only water from deep wells, analyzed by the authorities.

If you have not seen the new plant and its workings, you have at all times a cordial invitation to visit and see how the popular drinks are made. Cleanliness, the most scrupulous cleanliness, is observed throughout.

### PROGRESS OF B. Y. P. U. MEETING.

**Delegates to Conference Being Entertained by Young People.**

A large number of young people representing the Baptist Young People's Union of seven associations are in the city, the guests of hospitable homes, to attend the conference of the district B. Y. P. U. now in progress at the First Baptist church. The morning session yesterday was well attended and there was decided interest in the talks of Mr. Flake, Mr. Davis and Secretary C. M. Beach, of the Dell High School. An open discussion was interesting. The meeting continues through today and tomorrow.

### Davis School Wins.

Yesterday afternoon at Hilton Park the Davis amateur ball team defeated the Wilson amateurs by a score of 3 to 0. LeMoyne did the mound work for Davis, while Boswell and Yopp officiated for Wilson. LeMoyne gave three hits, and Boswell and Yopp allowed seven. Not a one got base on balls from LeMoyne, but Boswell gave two and Yopp three. LeMoyne struck out 18; Yopp six and Boswell eight. Games will be played hereafter every Saturday afternoon at Hilton Park.

### "WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES."

**Will be Presented at Academy Tuesday Night by University Club.**

Indications are that a large audience will see the University of North Carolina Dramatic Club present the notable laugh-piece, "What Happened to Jones", at the Academy of Music, Tuesday night, April 8th. The announcement by the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters that they have secured this unique entertainment seems to have struck a popular note of interest and approval. The morthy object in view no less than the unique interest offered by the performance itself has led to a generous advance sale of tickets.

On the Eastern tour which brings the club to Wilmington, a return engagement will be played in Raleigh, where the club's performance was enthusiastically received earlier in the season. The Raleigh Times had the following account of the play and its cordial reception:

"Fighting off any stage fright that might have affected their knees, the University Dramatic Club presented in a most creditable manner 'What Happened to Jones' before an audience that packed the auditorium of St. Mary's last night. The boys got away with that roaring farce without a break, and as the play progressed became better. The audience, composed mostly of college girls—though there were numerous men in the auditorium—admired extravagantly the make-ups of the 'women' in the cast. Mr. H. C. Conrad as Cissy, was simply stunning and looked as fair as any of the young ladies in the audience—which is some compliment to Mr. Conrad.

"The plot of the play is simple enough. Prof. Ebenezer Goodly and his family are at their home early in the evening. Richard Heatherly, engaged to Marjorie Goodly, is a model young man. But he has to meet a friend and in leaving the home drops a ticket to a prize fight. The professor finds it and Richard finally prevails upon him to attend the contest 'in the interest of science'. While the pugilists are scrapping, the professor becomes excited, the police raid the place and the spectators flee, Prof. Goodly climbing out the window and coming to the ground by way of the sewer pipe, incidentally tearing his trousers and receiving a black eye.

"Arrived home, Jones, who travels for a hymn book house and sells cards as a sideline, follows close after. He is compelled to knock down a policeman, who grabs off a piece of his coat. There is the situation. Added to this the expected visit of Prof. Goodly's brother, the Bishop of Ballarat, who later arrives and is given Jones' torn coat; the efforts of the policeman to arrest the person who blacked his eye; the successful masquerading of Jones in the bishop's clothes until that personage arrives; the arrest of the bishop and his vindication; several well played love scenes, and about 100 other amusing situations, and you have the whole thing. Mr. C. L. Coggins, to borrow the words of many in the audience, 'was a cute bishop', and he carried off the part to perfection.

"There is really no criticism to be made, but there is no doubt that the young actors will improve. They did not speak quite loud enough; otherwise they appeared like professionals. No audience ever enjoyed a thing more, however, and that is what counts. The cast is composed of the following:

Jones (who travels for a hymn book house)—C. L. Coggins.
Ebenezer Goodly (a professor of anatomy)—W. P. M. Weeks.
Antony Goodly, D. D. (Bishop of Ballarat)—J. V. Whitfield.
Richard Heatherly (engaged to Marjorie)—J. S. Bryan.
Thomas Holder (a policeman)—B. D. Applewhite.
William Bigbee (an inmate of the sanatorium)—M. C. Parrott.
Henry Fuller (superintendent of the sanatorium)—J. C. Busby.
Mrs. Goodly (Ebenezer's wife)—H. V. Johnson.
Cissy (Ebenezer's ward)—H. C. Conrad.
Marjorie and Minerva (Ebenezer's daughters)—C. A. Boseman and W. N. Post.
Alvina Starlight (Mrs. Goodly's sister)—W. B. Pitts.
Helma (Swedish servant girl)—Don Harris."

Announcement is made that tickets which have been on sale for several days by members of the King's Daughters, and at Plummer's, Struther's, and Baxter's, may be exchanged tomorrow at Plummer's for reserved seats.

### MUSIC AT ST. JAMES' TODAY.

**Programme for the Musical Numbers of the Choir at St. James'.**

Services at St. James' Episcopal church, Third and Market streets, today will be as follows:

Holy Communion, 11 o'clock; Communion service—Stainer; offertory, Why seek ye the living among the dead?—Clare; Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Fenley and choir. Jesus, Word of God Incarnate—Hote, Miss Bowen.

Evening prayer, 8 o'clock—Magnificat— Gounod; Nunc Dimittus—Gounod; anthem, Sweet is Thy Mercy—Barnby, Miss Bowen and choir; offertory, Christ is Risen—Maunder; Fourfold Amen—Stainer. Organ recital, 7:45 P. M., McHenry McChord, organist-director.

### Don't Be a Dowdy.

The best-dressed woman is not necessarily the one who spends the most money. Time, thought, and taste tell to the advantage of dress. Those who persist in speaking of carelessness in dress as if it were a merit are greatly mistaken. To be pleasingly, though not elaborately dressed, and as attractive as she may be, is every woman's duty, and the dress that suits the occasion confers dignity upon the wearer. "Why do you wear a pretty bow in your hair and take so much pains to have a becoming tie?" some one asked the teacher of a large class in the public school. "I wear my ribbons and put on my bows and make myself attractive because I have to influence for good fifty boys every day," was the reply. The teacher was right. Her boys believed in her much more than they would had she been a dowdy.—Christian Herald.

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(Advertisement.)

### DIED.

MOTT—At the family residence, 1219 Market street, Saturday morning, April 5th, at 10:05 o'clock, MISS EUPHREMIA MOTT, aged 72 years.

Funeral services will be conducted at the late residence this morning at 7 o'clock. Interment at Currie, N. C., this (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock.
(Advertisement.)

### WAS AFRAID OF EXCITEMENT

**Reasons Advanced by Man Who Wanted to Get Off Bond of Mail Contractor.**

The departments in Washington receive some queer letters. Below is given verbatim a letter received last November by the bureau that has charge of the bonds of mail contractors, from a man who wished to get off a bond. It is unique. The last sentence contains a valuable suggestion to others who dislike to receive disagreeable news, especially on business matters. The letter tells how he signed the bond merely to oblige a friend and then continues with this personal history:

"I risk My life to go to the lection this fall I have Done all I can for you office Men at the White house. So I Wood like if you office Men Wood get me out of trouble so I cod Rest I haint Work one Day for 13 years on count of Palpitation of the Heart Some times I can't bare the clock Strike So you no My heart is Weak you office Men Do all you can to get Mee out of trouble. if they had tolld Mee the letten Was 4 year I Never Wood sind the bond I thought it Was 1 year So I Was told when you Rite Don't Rite any thing that will excite Mee it Will Fly to My Heart."—Kansas City Star.


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# Financial and Commercial

## COTTON MARKET VERY QUIET

**Prices Fluctuated Within Range of Three or Four Points—Anxiety on Account of Flood—In Mississippi.**

New York, April 5.—The cotton market was very quiet today and prices fluctuated within a range of 3 or 4 points, the close being quiet and steady, unchanged to two points. The market opened steady at a decline of one point to an auvance of one point, which was about in line with the Liverpool cables.

There was no feature to the business and it consequently looked as if scattering accounts had already been pretty well evened up for over the week-end. The rains reported yesterday in the Mississippi valley proved to have been only moderate and the outlook was for clear weather over Sunday. This in connection with rather mixed reports from the dry goods trade, which is feeling the influence of property losses in the Middle West, to some extent, seemed in favor of recent sellers, but fresh offerings for short account were restricted by private predictions of unsettled weather in the belt early next week, and continued nervousness as to the river situation. According to reports received from Memphis there was a small break in the levee in the northern part of that city, and reports reached here via Liverpool of a break in the levee at Hickman, Ky. Breaks north of the belt, however, are generally considered a favorable feature in the cotton trade as likely to reduce the strain somewhat lower down the river, and there was, perhaps, rather less apprehension of damaging floods, although New Orleans reported that farmers protected by the Salem levee in northern Louisiana were still removing their live stock from threatened areas.

According to a private wire received from Savannah the unsold stock there is comparatively small and there is a better demand for spots from Europe. Reports from Mississippi claim that more cotton had been planted in that State up to date than to the first of May last year.

Spot cotton, quiet. Middling uplands, 12.60; do. gulf, 12.85; sales, none.

Futures closed quiet and steady.

| Month: | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan | 11.55 | 11.56 | 11.55 | 11.56 |
| Apr | 12.23 | ..... | ..... | 12.40 |
| May | 12.15 | 12.15 | 12.12 | 12.14 |
| June | 12.13 | ..... | ..... | 12.13 |
| July | 12.10 | 12.12 | 12.09 | 12.10 |
| Aug | 12.00 | 12.00 | 11.96 | 11.98 |
| Sept | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11.64 |
| Oct | 11.55 | 11.56 | 11.55 | 11.56 |
| Dec | 11.58 | 11.60 | 11.58 | 11.60 |

### THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12 11-16; net receipts, 4,312; gross receipts, 4,112; sales, 773; stock, 204,602; continent, 1,813; coastwise, 2,487.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 9-16; net receipts, 2,089; gross receipts, 2,155; sales, 474; stock, 92,137; Great Britain, 8,400; continent, 7,068; coastwise, 815.

Mobile—Easy, 12¼; net receipts, 59; gross receipts, 59; sales, 100; stock, 16,792; coastwise, 62.

Savannah—Firm, 12⅝; net receipts, 1,883; gross receipts, 1,873; sales, 199; stock, 88084; coastwise, 110.

Charleston—Quiet, 12¾; net receipts, 281; gross receipts, 281; stock, 33,434.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12⅜; net receipts, 252; gross receipts, 252; stock, 21,061.

Norfolk—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 1,470; gross receipts, 1,470; sales, 1,772; stock, 51,548; coastwise, 855.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12⅜; stock, 7,917.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; gross receipts, 4,470; stock, 129,362; constwise, 1,825.

Boston—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts, 30; gross receipts, 3,187; stock, 10,062.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.85; stock, 2,027.

Texas City—Net receipts, 389; gross receipts, 389; stock, 18,886.

Brunswick—Stock, 11,370.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 2; gross receipts, 2; stock, 1,520.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 10,666; Great Britain, 8,400; continent, 8,881; stock, 690,702.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 10,666; Great Britain, 8,400; continent, 8,881.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,896,861; Great Britain, 3,023,080; France, 914,828; continent, 2,911,927; Japan, 262,857; Mexico, 6,100.

### INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 4,278; gross receipts, 4,278; shipments, 4,220; sales, 397; stock, 107,422.

Augusta—Steady, 12 9-16; net receipts, 178; gross receipts, 567; shipments, 1,715; sales, 448; stock, 62,360.

Memphis—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 547; gross receipts, 654; shipments, 2,181; sales, 1,100; stock, 118,641.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12½; net receipts, 62; gross receipts, 195; shipments, 303; stock, 30,440.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 545; gross receipts, 545; shipments, 19; sales, 400; stock, 25,148.

Little Rock—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 89; gross receipts, 89; shipments, 156; stock, 32,493.

Greenville, S. C.—Quiet, 12¾.

Total today—Net receipts, 5,699; gross receipts, 6,328; shipments, 8,594; sales, 1,984; stock, 376,513.

### LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 5.—Spot cotton quiet, prices steady. American middling fair 7.56; good middling 7.22; middling 7.00; low middling 6.84; good ordinary 6.50; ordinary 6.16. The sales were 6,000 bales, including 300 for speculation and export and included 5,200 American. Receipts 3,300, all American.

Futures opened steady and closed steady. April 6.74; April and May 6.72; May and June 6.72; June and July 6.69; July and August 6.64; August and September 6.52 1-2; September and October 6.37 1-2; October and November 6.28 1-2; November and December 6.24 1-2; December and January 6.23; January and February 6.22; February and March 6.23; March and April 6.24.

### FINANCIAL MARKET

New York, April 5.—Money on call nominal. No loans. Time loans easy, sixty and ninety days 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent. Six months 4 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8330 for sixty day bills and 4.8720 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 3-4. Bar silver 58 1-4. Mexican dollars 47 1-2.

### PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., March 24.—Spanish—Market, steady. Farmers' Spanish, $1.27½ per bushel. No. 1, shelled Spanish, 7c. per lb. No. 2, shelled Spanish, 5c. per lb.

Virginias—Jumbo, 3⅝c. per lb. Fancy, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb.

**"The Retreat From Moscow."**

Big Pathe two-reel special release film at the Grand Theatre tomorrow. Biggest feature ever put on in Wilmington. (advertisement.)

## WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW

**Advancing Stock Following Morgan's Death a Speculative Paradox—Influence of the Situation Abroad—Congress**

New York, April 5.—That prices of stocks should advance immediately after the death of J. P. Morgan offered a speculative paradox.

The usual explanation of bear realizing by covering of shorts was only partly true in this case, the outstanding short interest having resulted from other considerations than the fear of Mr. Morgan's death. The firmness of the market in face of his death, however, coupled with the resistance manifested the week before due to the influence of flood losses, was of such imposing effect as to transfigure the whole complexion of the speculative position. The passing of April 1st without financial disaster at Berlin brought immense relief. At the same time the near approach of the extra session of Congress was accompanied by a supposition that moderation would prevail in shaping the tariff revision. The dominenat hopefulness of sentiment was not upset by favorable factors yet to be overcome. Final outcome of the Union Pacific dissolution was left dubious. The flood waters in the Ohio valley carried loss and destruction into new areas. Enactment of "dull crew" laws in New York and New Jersey elicited remonstrances from the railroads. February earnings reported by the great railroad systems showed inroads made on profits by mounting costs for up-keep and operation.

## MARINE.

**Arrived.**

Str. C. W. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

**Cleared.**

Str. Navahoe, Packer, New York, C. J. Becker.

Barge J. T. Hooper, Dewitt, in tow tug Donohue, Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

**Exports—Coastwise.**

Baltimore—Barge J. T. Hooper, 1,000 piling; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

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### WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)
Wilmington, March 22.

Market—Dull.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 75c.; machine picked, 70c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.20; machine-picked, $1.15.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 86c.; machine-picked, 80c.

### WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Firm, 41 cents.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.00 per barrel for dip, and $4.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 45¾; rosin, 6.70; tar, 1.90; crude turpentine, 3.50 per barrel for hard; 4.50 for dip; 4.50 for virgin.

**Receipts.**

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|---|---|
| Spirits Turpentine | 5 |
| Rosin | 36 |
| Tar | 70 |
| Crude Turpentine | 18 |

Receipts same day last year, 1 cask spirits turpentine; 23 barrels rosin; 52 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

### COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 12⅝.

Same day last year—Firm, 10⅝ for middling.

Receipts, 252; same day last year, 896 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1st, 324,823 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 487,375 bales.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 5.)

CORN—Firm, 75c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 90c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 70 to 75c.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.40 to $2.50; cow $1.50 to $1.60 per bu.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 10 to 14c. per lb.; free of burr, 20c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 16 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12½c to 13c per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 45@50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head. Turkeys, on foot, dull, 15c.; dressed, 20c.

EGGS—Very dull, 15c to 16c.

### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

**Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.**

Atlantic Coast Line—100 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 20 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—57 bales cotton.

Clyde Line—95 bales cotton.

Str. City of Fayetteville—29 barrels rosin.

Geo. Slover—7 barrels rosin; 50 barrels tar.

Total—252 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 36 barrels rosin; 70 barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

**Grain and Provisions.**

Chicago, April 5.—Strength was imparted to wheat today by a bullish foreign situation and by the issuance of a summary showing a prospective small export surplus.

The day ended with a net gain of a shade to ¼c. Corn closed a shade to ⅛@¼c. net lower, oats at ⅛ to ¼c. net decline and provisions down 2½@5 to 32½c.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.03@1.06; No. 2, hard, 91½@93; No. 1, Northern, 91½@92; No. 2, Northern, 90@91; No. 2, Spring, 89@90; velvet chaff, 86@91½; durum, 87@96½.

Corn—No. 2, 55@55½; No. 2, white, 56@56½; No. 2, yellow, 56@56½.

Oats—No. 2, white, 37¼@37½; standard, 35½@36.

Closing prices:

Wheat—May, 51⅝@51⅞; July, 95⅞; September, 90⅜.

Corn—May, 54¾; July, 55⅞; September, 56¾@56⅞.

Oats—May, 34¾; July, 34⅝; September, 34⅜.

Pork—May, 20.00; July, 20.12½; September, 19.92½.

Lard—May, 10.90; July, 10.85; September, 10.82½@10.85.

Ribs—May, 11.15; July, 10.90@10.92½; September, 10.70@10.72½.

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## STOCKS SHOW RECESSION

**Heavy Realizing Yesterday as Expected—Impulse to Take Profits Before Convening of Congress—Southern Pacific**

New York, April 5.—In view of the extent of the rise in stocks which had proceeded without serious interruption for a fortnight, it was regarded as a natural development that there should be heavy realizing today.

The demand fell off largely with the result that the market was notable to absorb offerings of long stocks with the facility which charactertized yesterday's preparations and there were substantial recessions through the list, with losses of many stocks ranging from one to two points.

The impulse to take profits was strengthened by the desire to close out contracts before the convening of Congress and the reading of the President's message. While Wall Street views the coming revision of the tariff with comparative freedom from fear, lack of definite knowledge as to the probable course of affairs at Washington within the next few days increases the hazard of a position on the long side of the market. Bear traders took advantage of the situation to put out new lines of stock, particularly in some of the specialties.

Rumely fell 60 to 37 a new low record. Chesapeake & Ohio was again under pressure and dropped to 67 3-4, the low point since 1910. Southern Pacific developed exceptional strength.

The bank statement was unexpectedly poor. Instead of the predicted cash gain of $2,000,000 there was a loss in the actual figures of $5,540,000. The excess reserves fell off by about the same amount.

Bonds were easy with sympathy with stocks sales, par value $1,130,000. United States bonds declined on call on the week, changes ranging from 1-8 to 3-8c. Total sales stocks today 318,300 shares.

### CLOSING STOCK LIST.

| | |
|---|---|
| Amalgamated Copper | 76¾ |
| American Agricultural | 54 |
| American Beet Sugar | 35½ |
| American Can | 36 |
| American Can, pfd | 98 |
| American Car and Foundry | 51¾ |
| American Cotton Oil | 48 |
| American Ice Securities | 26 |
| American Linseed | 11 |
| American Locomotive | 38½ |
| American Smelting and Ref | 71½ |
| Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd | 104½ |
| American Sugar Ref | 114 |
| American Tel and Tel | 132½ |
| American Tobacco | 242½ |
| Anaconda Mining Co | 38⅝ |
| Atchison | 103¾ |
| Atchison, pfd | 100¾ |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 125¼ |
| Baltimore and Ohio | 101⅝ |
| Bethlehem Steel | 36 |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 91¾ |
| Canadian Pacific | 238⅛ |
| Central Leather | 26½ |
| Chesapeake and Ohio | 68⅜ |
| Chicago Great Western | 15 |
| Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul | 112¼ |
| Chicago and North Western | 135½ |
| Colorado Fuel and Iron | 35½ |
| Consolidated Gas | 135½ |
| Corn Products | 11⅛ |
| Delaware and Hudson | 160½ |
| Denver and Rio Grande | 20⅜ |
| Denver and Rio Grande, pfd | 35⅞ |
| Distillers' Securities | 10½ |
| Erie | 29⅛ |
| Erie, 1st pfd | 46⅛ |
| Erie, 2nd pfd | 36 |
| General Electric | 141⅝ |
| Great Northern, pfd | 130½ |
| Great Northern Ore Ctfs | 37 |
| Illinois Central | 121 |
| Interborough-Met | 17⅜ |
| Interborough-Met., pfd | 59⅜ |
| Inter Harvester | 106½ |
| Inter-Marine, pfd | 18⅛ |
| International Paper | 11 |
| International Pump | 30 |
| Kansas City Southern | 25½ |
| Lacleede Gas | 101 |
| Lehigh Valley | 161½ |
| Louisville and Nashville | 136⅜ |
| Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie | 136⅞ |
| Missouri, Kansas and Texas | 26½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 39⅜ |
| National Biscuit | 118 |
| National Lead | 51 |
| Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd | 24 |
| New York Central | 107⅛ |
| New York, Ont. and Western | 31¼ |
| Norfolk and Western | 107⅝ |
| North American | 78 |
| Northern Pacific | 118⅝ |
| Pacific Mail | 26½ |
| Pennsylvania | 119 |
| People's Gas | 112 |
| Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis | 96¼ |
| Pittsburg Coal | 20½ |
| Pressed Steel Car | 27¼ |
| Pullman Palace Car | 159⅜ |
| Reading | 163½ |
| Republic Iron and Steel | 27¼ |
| Republic Iron and Steel, pfd | 86 |
| Rock Island Co | 22⅜ |
| Rock Island Co., pfd | 37⅝ |
| St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd | 26⅜ |
| Seaboard Air Line | 19½ |
| Seaboard Air Line, pfd | 44 |
| Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron | 36½ |
| Southern Pacific | 103 |
| Southern Railway | 26½ |
| Southern Railway, pfd | 79¾ |
| Tennessee Copper | 37 |
| Texas and Pacific | 19 |
| Union Pacific | 155⅝ |
| Union Pacific, pfd | 86½ |
| United States Realty | 68 |
| United States Rubber | 60⅞ |
| United States Steel | 62⅜ |
| United States Steel, pfd | 109 |
| Utah Copper | 54⅜ |
| Virginia-Carolina Chemical | 36¼ |
| Wabash | 3½ |
| Wabash, pfd | 11 |
| Western Maryland | 41¼ |
| Western Union | 70 |
| Westinghouse Electric | 66⅝ |
| Wheeling and Lake Erie | 7¼ |

### NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, April 5.—Flour steady.

Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red 1.11 1-2 and 1.13; No. 1 Northern Duluth 1.01 1-4.

Corn—Steady, 59.

Wool and Molasses—Quiet.

Leather—Firm.

Hides, Petroleum and Rice—Steady.

Sugar—Raw quiet; refined quiet.

Butter—Steadier.

Cheese—Irregular.

Coffee—Spot easy; Rio 7s, 11 5-8; Santos 4s, 13 1-2. Mild—Dull; Cordova 15 to 17 nominal.

Peanuts, Freights, Potatoes and Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Cottonseed Oil—Market was firmer on good general buying owing to the strength in the spot situation and very light offerings of crude oil, closing one to seven points net higher. Prime crude 5.64 to 5.67; prime Summer yellow spot 6.75 to 7.00; April 6.85; May 6.79; June 6.83; July 6.86; August and September 6.92; October 6.77; November 6.45; prime Winter yellow and Summer white 6.85 to 8.00.

### NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, Apr. 5.—Rosin and turpentine, dull.

Savannah, April 5.—Turpentine, nothing doing, 42; sales, none; receipts, 218; shipments, 110; stocks, 15,471.

Rosin—Nominal. Sales, none; receipts, 793; shipments, 1,000; stocks, 80,156. Quote: A, B, 5.10@5.20; C, D, 5.15@5.20; E, 5.20@5.22½; F, 5.25@5.27½; G, 5.30@5.37½; H, 5.40; I, 5.60@5.65; K, 6.25; M, 6.95; N, 7.30; W G, 7.40; W W, 7.00.

### THE WEATHER.

**United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.**

April 6, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 66 degrees; at 8 P. M., 64 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 63 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; rainfall for the months to date, .01.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 8.2 feet.

**Weather Forecasts.**

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday.

**The Port Calendar—Apr. 6.**

Sun rises ..... 5:52 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 6:36 P. M.
Day's length ..... 12 hrs. 44 min.

**Tides.**

| | High water. | | Low water | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A.M. | P.M. | A.M. | P.M. |
| Wilmington | 9:50 | 10:11 | 5:06 | 5:16 |
| Southport | 7:39 | 7:54 | 1:37 | 1:59 |
| Masonboro Inlet | 7:28 | 7:43 | 1:25 | 1:23 |

**WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.**
April 5, 1913.

| STATIONS: | Weather at 8 P. M. | Temperature: Highest today. | Temperature: Lowest last night. | Precipitation, 8 P. M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abilene | cloudy | 76 | 40 | .0 |
| Asheville | clear | 54 | 40 | .0 |
| Atlanta | clear | 62 | 44 | .0 |
| Augusta | clear | 72 | 58 | .0 |
| Birmingham | clear | 64 | 44 | .0 |
| Boston | clear | 52 | 38 | .10 |
| Charleston | clear | 76 | 66 | .01 |
| Charlotte | clear | 66 | 52 | .0 |
| Chicago | clear | 52 | 36 | .0 |
| Galveston | clear | 68 | 60 | .0 |
| Jacksonville | clear | 80 | 66 | .0 |
| Memphis | clear | 60 | 46 | .0 |
| Mobile | clear | 72 | 54 | .0 |
| Montgomery | clear | 68 | 50 | .0 |
| New Orleans | clear | 72 | 58 | .0 |
| New York | clear | 56 | 46 | .16 |
| Oklahoma | clear | 72 | 40 | .0 |
| Pittsburg | clear | 46 | 38 | .0 |
| Raleigh | clear | 60 | 58 | .0 |
| Savannah | clear | 76 | 66 | .0 |
| Shreveport | clear | 72 | 48 | .0 |
| St. Louis | clear | 60 | 40 | .0 |
| Washington | clear | 56 | 50 | .10 |

### DRY GOODS REVIEW.

New York, April 5.—Buyers of cotton goods are anticipating price concessions and for that reason they have been operating in a hand-to-mouth way. This is particularly true of the domestic buyers for the jobbing houses. The delay in the delivery of many goods is still a factor in the situation, labor being scarce in the mill centers and legislation on shorter hours having affected the output of the mills.

Print cloths 28 inch 64x64s 3 7-8; 64s 60s 38 1-2 inch 64x64 5 1-8; standard Southern sheeting 8; denims 9 ounce 14; tickings 8 ounce 13 3-4; staples prints 5 1-2; staple ginghams 6 3-4; dress ginghams 9 1-4.

The cotton goods markets closed steady today. Converters using heavy cloths have been operating more freely. Jobbers are still buying very lightly. Retailers continue to report a steady distribution, but they are conservative in all future purchases.

¶ Write your ad like you would talk to your party and tell the *whole truth.* Notice the following:

¶ FOR RENT—Room. Telephone 624 or apply 120 Lake Avenue.

¶ FOR RENT—Nice large front room, closets, running water, electric lights. Convenient to car line and good restaurant. Moderate price. Apply 120 Lake Avenue.

¶ Which ad would *you* answer?

¶ Don't cut the ad too short. It is false economy.

¶ Shrewd, careful buyers read the want ads. ¶ This page is a reliable indicator of real estate values and activities. ¶ You save many an agent's commission here—you deal with the seller *who wants to sell,* and by the same token you find the buyer who *wants to buy.*

¶ The law gives the finder no title to lost property until he has made a "reasonable effort to find the owner." ¶ The reasonable effort is to advertise it in the "Lost and Found" column. Apply the golden rule.

## ..Theatrical..

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sword, no matter age or sex.

A great "Alkali Ike" film is also a feature in Essanay's "The Tale of the Clock." The "Alkali Ike" series is always interesting and this one is one of the best.

"The Love That Turned" is another notable dramatic for tomorrow, and it tells a thrilling tale of Mexican rebel life, with an American soldier and a dashing, impulsive Senorita, who comes very near causing international complications.

A superb educational film is "Picturesque Sardinia, Italy," and it is something exquisite in the way of a travel film.

## PRETTIEST BIRD IN WORLD

**Quezal of South Guatemala Takes Beauty Prize Among Feathered Creatures.**

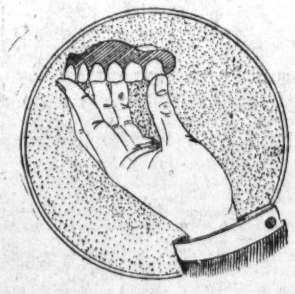
What is considered the most beautiful bird in the world is the quezal, of Guatemala. Until within the last few years it was unknown to science among the feathered creatures, delighting in the silence of high altitudes. It dwells on mountain heights above 7,000 feet in elevation.

The quezal was the royal bird of the ancient Aztecs, and its plumes were used to decorate the head dresses and cloaks of their kings. The quezal's breast is a brilliant scarlet while its green tail attains a length of three feet. It is about the size of the common pigeon. It nests in holes in rotten trees, which it enlarges with its bill, so as to make a roomy and comfortable residence. The young are hatched totally devoid of feathers.

It is the hardest of all birds to prepare for mounting, for its skin is as tender as so much tissue paper, and the feathers are implanted to such a slight depth that they readily fall out. A specimen is very apt to be spoiled by falling against a branch of a tree on being shot.

Up to 1860, naturalists did not know where the quezal was to be found. The few specimens which had fallen into their hands had been obtained from Indians, who kept the secret. About that time, however, a collector, visiting that country, got on the track of the birds and went up into the mountains, where he shot a number of them. In ancient times the skins of all birds of this species belonged to the king, and none but members of the royal family were allowed to wear the feathers.

The quezal belongs to the family of tragons, the genus including forty-six species, thirty-three of which are American. All are very beautiful and extremely rare.



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### SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

**TAKE NOTICE that I have this day levied upon and will sell at public auction, at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1913, at 12 o'clock, Noon, the following described property, to satisfy unpaid taxes due the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, for the year 1912. All costs and expenses lawfully incurred and a proper charge in this proceeding will be added to the amount due for taxes aforesaid. CHAS. H. WHITE, Tax Collector.**

| Name: | Description: | Blk | Tax and Cost |
|---|---|---|---|
| Abelowitz, Louis & Bro. | n e ¼ 4 | 278 | |
| | s e ½ 2 | 207 | 863.25 |
| Addison, Emily | n e ¼ 3 | 223 | 21.43 |
| Ahrens, hrs. N. C. A. | w ½ 1 5 | 306 | |
| | w ½ 1 5 | 323 | |
| | All 1 2 pt 3 | 346 | 100.14 |
| Alderman, W. H. | pt e 1 | 225 | 13.55 |
| Anderson, C. R. | n e pt 6 | 58 | 16.18 |
| Andrews, Audrew J. | sw 5 | 540 | |
| | ne ¼ 1 | 541 | 6.36 |
| Applebury, W. R. | pt w 4 5 6 | 506 | 9.86 |
| Applewhite, Geo. B. | w ½ 1 | 12 | 11.62 |
| Applewhite, R. C., Jr. | pt w 4 5 | 283 | 14.68 |
| Austin, Julia | e m 2 | 130 | 4.80 |
| Bagg, M. E. & B. P. | s w 2 | 183 | 36.74 |
| Ballard, Gabe | n w ¼ 4 | 531 | 4.61 |
| Barfield, Rosa | e m 1 | 347 | 4.33 |
| Barnett, hrs. John | e 5 6 | 46 | 5.24 |
| Batson, Mrs. T. A. | n e ¼ 5 | 104 | 19.68 |
| Batson, W. S. | lot 5 | 3 | 3.74 |
| Bell, H. L. | e m 1 | 87 | 22.11 |
| Bell, Maggie E. | e m 6 | 90 | 17.49 |
| Bell, Mrs. Susie R. | w end 3 pt 4 | 220 | 27.55 |
| Bell, Swain | n w m ⅛ 6 | 541 | 4.71 |
| Bennett, Jno. N. | s w ¼ 3 | 105 | 38.30 |
| Best, R. W. | pt e 4 | 207 | 17.05 |
| Biddle, hrs. Julia A. | w pt 1 2 | 78 | 15.74 |
| Biddle, Miss Rebecca | e end pt 3 | 38 | 11.80 |
| Bishop, Ephraim | m 1 2 | 238 | 17.05 |
| Blake, H. C. | n w ½ 1 2 | 550 | 2.18 |
| Blake, W. H. | e end 2 | 64 | 10.93 |
| Bolden, Louis | e 4 5 | 536 | 9.18 |
| Boon, Thos. | m 5 6 | 98 | |
| | m ½ 6 | 583 | 8.94 |
| Bordeaux, G. C. | e m 6 | 139 | 27.80 |
| Borneman, Mrs. Bertha | e ¾ 1 | 66 | 23.75 |
| Borneman, D. M. | e 2 pt 5 6 e 5 6 | 96 | 20.84 |
| Bowden, Mrs. Annie E. | e end 5 6 | 193 | 65.62 |
| Bowden, Julia | e m 1 | 254 | 3.93 |
| Bowden, hrs. Mrs. Sarah C. | w 5 | 118 | 45.93 |
| Bowen, J. P. | e 5 | 339 | 3.65 |
| Bowen, Martha | e 4 5 | 281 | 21.43 |
| Bowen, hrs. Stephen | w 3 | 198 | 9.18 |
| Boyd, John S. | w m pt 5 | 240 | 14.32 |
| Boykin, George | w m 5 | 149 | 8.55 |
| Boylan, J. E. | w end 1 2 | 185 | 23.43 |
| Bradley, hrs. cJhn | w 1 2 3 4 | 493 | 7.86 |
| Brantley, Jas. M. | pt w m 4 5 | 357 | 5.93 |
| Brimmer, Mrs. Lizzie C. | e m 1 | 86 | 26.68 |
| Brinkley, Susan | w m 2 n w ¼ 3 | 45<br>188 | 10.69 |
| Brown, John | pt w end 1 | 40 | 7.24 |
| Brown, Moses, Jr. | w m 1 | 136 | 5.49 |
| Brown, Silas | w pt 2 3 | 503 | 4.18 |
| Brown, hrs. Wm. | e m 1 2 3 | 39 | 6.99 |
| Brownell, hrs. Thos. | ⅝ 6 | 39 | 10.05 |
| Bryan, Hannah | pt w 3 | 186 | 6.11 |
| Bryant, David | e m 1 2 | 93 | 20.55 |
| Bryant, W. M. | pt e 5 6 | 105 | 18.61 |
| Burnett, J. D. | w m 5 | 339 | 29.38 |
| Burnett, J. T. | w m 1 | 211 | 12.93 |
| Blocker, Mary E. | n e ¼ 3 | 541 | 5.24 |
| Broun, Joseph S. | s e ¼ 1 | 136 | 8.55 |
| Campbell, Thos. | m 1 2 | 70 | 3.49 |
| Cannady, J. S. | s w ¼ 3 | 54 | 10.74 |
| Capps, Mrs. Mary | e ½ w end 6 m & w m 1 | 74<br>58 | 64.50 |
| Carney, W. M. | e m 6 | 211 | 14.43 |
| Chapman, hrs. Louis | w m 2 pt 2 3 | 338<br>350 | 5.44 |
| Clemmons, J. J., Jr. | w m 1 | 118 | 20.19 |
| Clinton, Henry L. | pt 1 2 | 408 | 7.24 |
| Clinton, Mildred | m ⅛ 3 | 281 | 7.49 |
| Cole, Rosetta | e m 5 | 326 | 4.80 |
| Collins, Sarah A. | w m 1 w m 5 | 240<br>239 | 24.25 |
| Collins, W. H. | w m 4 5 | 327 | 6.80 |
| Colvin, hrs. Jas. | s e 6 6½ | 149 | 4.80 |
| Conner, Mary A. | m pt 2 | 24 | 2.61 |
| Conner, Mary Ann | pt 1 2 | 24 | 4.80 |
| Corbett, Mrs. Maud H. | e end 6 | 71 | 12.68 |
| Crawley, L. G. | e ¼ 5 | 78 | 7.43 |
| Cromwell, R. A. | s e ⅓ 3 all 1 n e 3 | 224<br>11 | 36.75 |
| Cronenberg, W. C. | s e 2 | 10 | 7.24 |
| Daniel, Mrs. H. C. | w ½ 4 | 113 | 88.80 |
| Davis, Anthony | s w ¼ 4 | 540 | 4.80 |
| Davis, D. M. | n w ⅓ 3 | 117 | 43.99 |
| Davis, J. T. | pt 4, 5 | 529 | 2.18 |
| Davis, Lucy | n e ¼ 2 | 226 | 6.55 |
| Davis, Louis H. | s e ¼ 2 | 118 | 13.55 |
| Davis, Primus | e ½ 4 | 45 | 11.80 |
| Diggs, Mary | s w 6 | 498 | 2.18 |
| Dixon, Sophia | m 4 | 68 | 4.98 |
| Dollar, Mrs. Sudie V. | e ½ 1 w ½ 2 | 35<br>67 | 22.06 |
| Donaldson Mills | e 1 | 239 | 17.05 |
| Dry, Wm. | n e ¼ 3 | 540 | 4.18 |
| Duncan, W. P. | e m 5 6 | 52 | 14.24 |
| Dunn, Mrs. R. R. | w 5 | 184 | 52.05 |
| Dunston, Priscilla | s e end 5 pt 6 | 37 | 2.61 |
| Edwards, Thomas | e m 1 pt 2 w 5 | 205<br>351 | |
| | n e 4 | 293 | 26.89 |
| Elkins, J. B. | w 2 e m 2 3 | 348<br>350 | 21.60 |
| Evans, Cornelius | e m 1 2 | 93 | 8.30 |
| Evans, J. M. | e m 6 pt 5 | 18 | 19.06 |
| Evans, M. ses. | e 1 2 | 102 | 16.65 |
| Everett, Josephine | pt e m 1 2 | 300 | 2.18 |
| Faircloth, Wm. | s w ¼ 4 | 541 | 4.80 |
| Farrior, Francenia | e 4 | 523 | 2.61 |
| Forrest, Mrs. W. A. | e 5 | 200 | 50.05 |
| Galley, hrs. Jas. M. | e ½ 3 | 254 | 10.49 |
| Gaskill, J. W. | n w ¼ 3 | 133 | 8.30 |
| Gause, Edward | e m 2 3 | 149 | 6.57 |
| Gause, Edward S. | e end 4 5 | 335 | 10.93 |
| Goodwin, C. E. | w 5 6 s w ¼ 2 e m 1 2 e ½ 2 3 e 6 e 5 6 s w ¼ 4 | 42<br>40<br>68<br>41 | 69.63 |
| Graham, Lula A. | m pt 1 n e pt 4 | 254<br>338 | 9.38 |
| Greer, Mrs. Gussie | m 1 2 3 n w ¼ w end 1 | 188<br>198 | 10.69<br>83.75 |
| Griffith, Mrs. M. W. | e m 6 | 71 | 11.37 |
| Gaither, Fannie | e 1 m 1 | 224<br>240 | 28.89 |
| Gwaltney, Mrs. O. B. | 1-3 int. w end 1 | 129 | 42.43 |
| Haar, G. Henry | s e ¼ 2 | 103 | 26.65 |
| Hall, Albert | w m 1 | 280 | 12.05 |
| Hall, C. E. | e m 1 2 | 146 | 25.80 |
| Hall, hrs. Jos. D. | w m 5 | 241 | 7.43 |
| Hall, O. D. & hrs. Mary J. | s w ¼ 2 | 23 | 9.43 |
| Hall, Thomas | s e ¼ 1 | 23 | 2.61 |
| Hauser, M. M. | e pt 5 6 | 537 | 7.24 |
| Harper, Mary A. | w m 1 2 | 324 | 6.55 |
| Harrington, Annie | w pt 1 | 24 | 24.05 |
| Harriss, hrs. Bristow | e m 3 | 45 | 4.80 |
| Harvey

# TARIFF SITUATION IS WELL IN HAND

(Continued from Page One.)

cent a pound for three years and free sugar after that time would not be acceptable. This information was communicated to President Wilson.

The Ways and Means Committee, having completed the tariff bill, adjourned until Monday, leaving the sugar schedule open, approved in two ways. The committee voted for free sugar flatly; and also for the suggested alternative of one cent a pound for three years, to be followed by free trade.

Two schedules were drafted, the committee leaving it to Chairman Underwood to incorporate in the bill the schedule finally approved by the President. If no agreement can be reached by way of compromise with the anti-free sugar Senators, it was indicated that the tariff bill would be introduced anyway probably with sugar on the free list.

Tomorrow the Senate Finance Committee will meet to go over the schedules drafted by the Ways and Means Committee. By that time a definite understanding on the sugar schedule is expected. On Monday Chairman Underwood will introduce the bill and the House Democrats have been called to consider it in caucus Tuesday morning. At that time the question of procedure will be considered, whether the bill, including the income tax, be taken as a whole or schedule by schedule. The prevalent opinion is that the entire tariff will be considered as one measure.

Chairman Underwood said tonight he planned to have his report on the bill ready for the caucus, called by Representative Palmer, of Pennsylvania, the caucus chairman. This report will be a complete analysis of the bill, and is to be accompanied by a hand-book showing comparative rates with the Payne-Aldrich and other tariff laws.

The bill, it is estimated, will result in a loss in revenue of from $80,000,000 to $85,000,000 as compared with the Payne-Aldrich law. The saving to the people, it is estimated by the Democratic experts will aggregate several times this loss.

The income tax provision from which the loss of tariff revenue is expected to be recovered has been thoroughly planned. Though the exemption on this is placed at $4,000 it was said tonight that should the compromise plan for a three years of reduced rate on raw sugar prevail, the personal income exemption might be raised to $5,000. The $4,000 exemption, it is understood was determined upon with the view of placing sugar on the free list, which alone would cut off $52,000,000 in revenue.

Chairman Underwood waited until late today for word from members of the Senate Finance Committee or the President, but none came. He will be on hand tomorrow to hear from them and members of the Ways and Means Committee will be subjected to call should a meeting be necessary.

Among the President's callers to consider the tariff today were Senators Kern, the majority leader, and Senator Thompson, of Kansas. A delegation of Hawaiians, led by their delegate in Congress, also called to protest against free sugar.

### Fight and Take Chances.

New Orleans, April 5.—The American Cane Growers' Association today announced its opposition to any tariff plan that would ultimately mean free sugar, and in telegrams sent to Washington said the association is willing to "fight and take the chances."

J. D. Hill and Henry Pharr, members of the association, left for Washington late today. Before leaving they said they expected to tell President Wilson his "plan means absolute ruin to the industry in Louisiana."

## SPRING CARNIVAL

### Johnny J. Jones' Shows Furnish All Attractions This Week

The Spring carnival to be held by the Cape Fear Independent Band all week, commencing Monday, April 7th, seems to be exciting a great deal of interest in all parts of the city, and the fact that the Johnny J. Jones Shows have been engaged to furnish the entertainment is guarantee enough that everything will be of the best possible character.

Mr. Jones has put together the best company he has ever carried and many of the shows have never been seen with a carnival company before.

The Motordrome, the very latest in out-door amusements, will be seen here for the first time. Two fearless riders mounted on motorcycles ride around a saucer-shaped track at a mile a minute speed, each vieing with the other for supremacy.

It can safely be said that this is one of the most sensational attractions ever carried with any traveling organization.

Mr. Jones has secured the services of Oscar V. Babcock in his thrilling loop-the-loop and death-trap flume, this being one of the highest salaried attractions ever carried with any company and will be seen twice daily during the engagement of the shows here.

There is one thing that Mr. Jones is particular about, and that is the fact that he will not allow any shows of a suggestive nature, and every person with the company must be a lady or gentleman, as the case may be.

He now has 20 shows of different kinds and three big spectacular free acts, and three big bands that will furnish the music. Something will be kept going on all the time to keep the visitors happy. The shows will exhibit at Fourth and Castle streets.

### Baseball Scores.

At Atlanta 9; Toronto 8.

At Atlanta: Georgia Techs 4; Mercer 1.

At Winston-Salem 7; Guilford 5.

At Newport News 7; Providence 15.

At Montgomery 4; Toledo 7.

At Annapolis: Amherst 0; Navy 5.

At West Point: Army 2; Dickinson 1

At Louisville 8; Detroit 6.

At Lexington, Va.: V. M. I. 15; Roanoke College 4.

At Greensboro 4; Buffalo 6.

At Washington: Cornell 3; Georgetown 8.

At Charlotte: U. N. C. 4; Davidson 1.

At Richmond: Washington, American Yanigans 9; Richmond 1.

At Norfolk 1; Philadelphia, Americans second team 5.

At Whitsett Institute 5; Weaverville College 1.

At New Haven, Conn.: Yale 6; Trinity 0.

At New York: Columbia 9; Rutgers 7.

At Princeton 15; New York Uni. 1.

At Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania 5; Swarthmore 4 (12 innings)

At Charleston: Citadel 8; College of Charleston 4.

At Kansas City 1; Pittsburg 14.

At Baltimore 3; New York, Nat. 12.

Chicago, April 5.—The Chicago Nationals opened the local season here today by beating the Indianapolis team. Charley Smith showed good form for the big leaguers.

## SEQUEL TO SHOOTING

### Italian Shot by Father and Son Because He Loved Girl

Asheville, N. C., April 5.—The sequel to shooting of Pietro Fiscalatti, an Italian laborer, by R. A. Owenby and Lee Owenby, father and son, at the home of the latter near Murphy, N. C., last January, was written today when the Italian filed suits which reveal an unusual chain of circumstances.

In one suit Fiscalatti seeks to recover $10,000 damages for personal injuries received at the hands of the defendant father and son, and in a second suit he seeks to recover $1,200 from Miss Sarah Owenby, daughter of the senior Owenby, which sum the Italian alleges he deposited with Miss Owenby as evidence of his good faith in his promise to marry her.

The plaintiff alleges that he met Miss Owenby, at Fort Terry, N. Y., two years ago; that she apparently returned his love when he visited her at her mountain home near Murphy, N. C., and that she promised to marry him. It is further alleged that urgent business called Fiscalatti back to Italy a few months later, and according to the complaint, Fiscalatti quieted the young lady's doubts as to his return by placing in her care the sum of $1,200.

The plaintiff alleges that when he came back to this country six months ago, the young lady's love had grown cold; that she refused to marry him or give back his $1,200, and that on January 10th of this year, he was shot and severely injured by the girl's father and brother when he, Fiscalatti, refused to leave the premises without his money.

The father and the brother were tried for murderous assault on the Italian on January 17th and were acquitted by a magistrate on the ground that the Owenbys had repeatedly warned the Italian to keep off the premises and that Fiscalatti had written threatening letters to the Owenby family.

## AMERICAN SHIPYARDS

### Output During Fiscal Year Larger Than for Several

Washington, April 5.—The output of American shipyards during the fiscal year will be greater than in any of the last four years and equal to the average output for any series of active years of construction, the Department of Commerce estimates. The year's construction will reach 400,000 tons. During the first nine months this year 1,114 merchant vessels, totalling 260,265 tons have been registered compared with 1,051 vessels and 151,341 tons the same period last year. As the Spring and early Summer is the time of greatest activity in shipbuilding, it is figured there will be a 400,000 tonnage before July 1st. Steel steamers aggregated 151,507 tons, against 75,507 tons last year.

Ship-building on the Great Lakes shows little change but the total output on the Atlantic seaboard has increased from 64,522 tons to 161,061 tons. Wooden sailing vessels show a decrease and form only a small fraction, 11,971 tons of the total for the country.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Motion Pictures.
Fleet-Davis Co.—Young Man.
W. C. Munds—Announcement.
J. O. Brock—Simply Exquisite.
W. B. Cooper Co.—White Rice.
J. C. Shepard—Mosquito Driver.
City Livery Co.—A High Stepper.
N. Jacobi Hdw. Co.—Water Coolers.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Special Offering.
Wilmington Shoe Co.—Individuality.
A. D. Brown—Always Something New.
A David Co—Hart, Schaffner & Marx.
Culbreth & Culbreth—Save That Tooth.
American National Bank—oYu Didn't Pay.
Academy of Music—Bought and Paid For.
Gaylord-Platt-Haar Co.—The Coming Store.

### Business Locals.

Lost—Keys.
Wanted—Salesmen.
Wanted—Boarders.
For Rent—Cottage.
J. H. Kuck—Homes.
Wanted — Salesmen.
Lost—Wad of Bills.
Kure Bros.—For Rent.
Wanted—Jersey Cow.
J. H. Kuck—For Sale.
For Sale—Oriental Rug.
G. H. Ward—For Sale.
Leger Meyer—Tailoring.
J. H. Kuck—Real Estate.
Brookridge Farm—Listen.
For Sale—Gasoline Tank.
Wanted—Band Saw Filer.
For Sale—Laundry Tubs.
Wanted—Board and Room.
Young Man—Wants Board.
For Sale—Fruit Business.
For Sale—Sewing Machine.
Wanted—Specialty Salesmen.
J. O. Reilly—On Fifth Street.
J. O. Reilly—Desirable Home.
For Sale — Gasoline Launch.
Carolina Screen Co.—Screens.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
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For Rent—Connecting Rooms.
For Sale—Antique Mahogany.
For Sale—Maxwell Automobile.
Wanted—Second-Hand Bicycle.
J. O. Reilly—On Market Street.
J. O. Reilly—Business Property.
J. O. Reilly—Carolina Heights.
For Sale—Bonitz Hotel Building.
Wilder & Metts—Cottage for Sale.
For Rent—Furnished Bed Rooms.
J. G. Wright & Son—A Bargain.
James & James—Carolina Heights.
C. H. Reed Co.—Agents Wanted.
For Rent—Three Furnished Rooms.
D. R. Foster & Co.—S. Third Street.
Wilder & Metts—Market Street House.
J. H. Kuck—House and Lot for Sale.
D. R. Foster & Co.—An Elegant Home.
D. R. Foster & Co.—On the Turnpike.
D. R. Foster & Co.—East Wilmington.
J. G. Wright & Son—Wharf Property.
U. S. Calendar Co.—Sideline Salesmen.
J. G. Wright & Son—Have You Noticed.
Wilder & Metts—Greenville Sound Property.
J. G. Wright & Son—Housekeeping Apartemnt.

## Business Locals

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**FOR RENT**—Four room cottage, No. 419 N. Fourth street. Apply C. P. B. Mahler, 23 South Second street. ap6-1t*

**A BARGAIN**—We have a corner lot on Orange street, which can be bought for less than $600.00. Cash or on time. Let us show you this Monday. J. G. Wright & Son, 124 Princess St. ap6-1t

**HAVE YOU NOTICED** how Castle Heights has built up recently? There has been about Fifty new houses built here in the past eight months. In spite of the increased values out here, we have for sale one corner lot on 13th street which can be bought for just a little more than it sold for over two years ago. The owner needs the money and will sell cheap, if sold at once. Look into this Monday. J. G. Wright & Son, Sole Agents, 124 Princess St. ap6-1t

**WHARF PROPERTY FOR SALE.**—We have for sale one of the best located wholesale stands in the city; the lot is 24 and 1-2 feet by 132 feet deep, and contains a two-story brick building that covers practically entire lot. The price is less than $10,000.00. See us Monday and let us show it to you. J. G. Wright & Son, 124 Princess street. ap6-1t

**CAROLINA HEIGHTS LOT** that is 55 by 155, for sale. Can be bought for $1,500.00. One block from car line. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-1t

**ON FIFTH STREET,** between Orange and Dock, a desirable piece of property for sale. Lot is 66 by 120. Can be bought at a very reasonable price. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-1t

**DESIRABLE HOME** on Nun street for sale. Has 9 rooms and all modern conveniences. Can arrange good terms. Price very reasonable. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-1t

**ON MARKET STREET** you can buy a large lot, 100 feet front and 165 feet deep, for a very low price. James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-1t

**SOME VERY DESIRABLE** business property on my Sale list. Will be glad to let any of my salesmen talk it over with you; if you will 'phone James Owen Reilly, Fire Insurance and Real Estate. ap6-1t

**FOR RENT**—Housekeeping apartment in The Carolina Apartment House. First floor, five rooms and bath. Apply to janitor or to J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. ap6-2t

**LOST**—On street car, wad of bills, containing one five and several one dollar notes. Reward for return to W. Gurganus, Cape Fear Restaurant. ap6-1t*

**FOR RENT**—One double and one single well furnished rooms. Electric lights and bath. Apply 410 Walnut street. ap6-1t*

**WE HAVE A NICE** fresh line of carnations and roses; also potted ferns and plants of all kinds. Dan Benton, 408 South Fourth street. 'Phone 1397. ap6-1t*

**FOR RENT**—One nicely furnished front room at 202 Walnut street. All modern conveniences. ap6-1t*

**FOR RENT**—One large and one small furnished bed room, to gentlemen. Good location on car line. Apply 118 South Sixth street. ap6-1t

**$1,900.00** Buys a small house on Market between 13th and 14th streets. Lot 30x150 feet in size. Wilder & Metts, agents. ap6-1t

**OLD GREENVILLE** Sound property, 38 or 40 acres of land opposite Lumina, about 1,200 feet water front, substantial 2-story house in pretty cluster of trees. Good Winter or Summer home. A real bargain, if bought before Wednesday. Wilder & Metts, agents. ap6-1t

**FIVE ROOM COTTAGE** on Eighth street between Dock and Orange. Lot 33x150 feet in size; 4-room house in rear renting for $8.00 per month. Price, $2,250.00. Wilder & Metts, Agents. ap6-1t*

**AGENTS WANTED**—To canvass automobile owners with brand new specialty. Big commission. Write quick. Details free Falsome Novelty Co., Box 5425 Kingsessing Sta., Philadelphia, Pa. ap5,12,19-3t*

**SIDELINE** traveling salesmen make $50 to $75 weekly handling our latest production of advertising fans. Liberal terms. Apply at once. United States Calendar Co., Cincinnati. ap6-1t*

**WANTED AT ONCE**—Competent band-saw filer to relieve our regular filer two or three weeks. Apply by wire, stating briefly your qualifications and terms. D. W. Alderman & Sons Co., Alcolu, S. C. ap6-1t

**BOARD WANTED** — Couple and child, school age, desire accommodations with private family. Require comfortable room and substantial table. "X. Z. Y.," care Star. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE**—For $15, New Home sewing machine; almost new. Drop head; all attachments. Call 'phone 1026-w. ap6-1t*

**LOST**—On Water street between Dock and S. A. L. Ry. freight office, 2 keys on ring. Finder will return to owner, care Star office, and receive reward. ap6-1t*

**CAROLINA HEIGHTS** lots. Only a few choice lots left on Carolina avenue. These lots can be purchased very reasonably and on most favorable terms. Southern exposure; sewerage, gas, electric lights; granolithic pavements. Monthly payment plan, or liberal discount for cash. See James & James, Insurance and Real Estate, Orton Hotel Bldg.; 'Phone 163. ap6-1t

**FOR SALE**—280 feet front, 855 feet deep, 15 minutes from car line, Market street road. Geo. H. Ward, 808 N. Fifth; 'phone 1503-J. ap6-1t*

**YOUNG MAN** and his mother wants two rooms and board in private family. Board paid weekly. Address "Private Board," care Star. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE** at a bargain, 40 foot launch "Maggie," for $1,350.00. Worth $2,500.00. Is in fine order. Has cruised from New York to Florida this winter. Seen foot Ann street. Owner living aboard. Must sell before Monday noon. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE**—Maxwell automobile, 30 H. P. touring, practically good as new. Absolutely guaranteed. Cost $1,550. Will sell for one-half actual worth; trade for light car or nice horse and buggy. No fault of car whatever, except entirely too heavy for my use. If you mean business, write Fair Bluff Hardware Co., Fair Bluff, N. C. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE**—Gasolene tank, five barrel capacity; automatic pump, new, never uncrated. Cost $200 cash, will take $125. Decided not to handle gasoline. Also 40-bbl. gasoline contract 16 1-2c. Fair Bluff Hardware Co., Fair Bluff, N. C. ap6-1t*

**WANTED**—Jersey cow with young calf. Give full information in first letter. Address R. F. Pigford, R. F. D. 1, Willard, N. C. ap6-1t*

**TO PERSON** who will do little work now and then, in exchange for privilege, I will give desk room free. Apply Room 7, 204 N. Front street. ap6-1t*

**FOR RENT**—A suite of two furnished front rooms, suitable for three or four gentlemen. Next door to splendid boarding house. Call 216 Chestnut street, 2 to 2:30 today or tomorrow. 'Phone 1783. ap6-1t*

**SCREENS,** screens. Carolina Screen co. at 112 1-2 N. Water street, are manufacturers of the "Ideal" screen; also inside and outside sliding screens. Will show models and furnish estimates. Satisfaction guaranteed. ap6-1t*

**FOR RENT** — Three furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. For particulars, apply at once at 109 1-2 Chestnut street; room No. 3. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE**—Three stationary laundry tubs, good as new; two feather beds, several mattresses, walnut dressers, washstands, etc. Will sell cheap. Apply at 322 South Fifth street. ap6-1t*

**WANTED QUICK**—One second-hand bicycle with broad spring seat. Either ladieds' or gentlemen's model. Write E. M. Beery, 401 Market street, stating condition and price. ap6-1t*

**FOR SALE**—Business of the Witte Fruit Co., on account of the death of Mr. Witte. If you want a nice business, call at once or address Witte Fruit Co., 110 N. Water street. ap6-6t*

**SOUTH THIRD STREET.**—We have a very desirable cottage, in first class condition, with modern conveniences, which we offer for sale at a bargain. It is located on a nice large lot, and has an abundant supply of pure crystal water from an artesian well 150 feet deep. It will take only small amount of cash to swing the deal. The balance can be arranged on easy payments. D. R. Foster & Co. ap6-1t

**FOR SALE**—One Oriental rug, new, 9x12. Also three-room flat, near Front street; nice neighborhood. Cheap rent. Inspection any time. Address "Z," care Star. ap6-1t

**EAST WILMINGTON**—Have you noticed the beautiful homes which have been built in this section recently? We have an extra large lot, facing the macadam road, which can be bought at a very low figure. It is an ideal location for a nice home. D. R. Foster & Co. ap6-1t

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**AN ELEGANT HOME** on Ann street, with all modern conveniences, and only one block from the car line. It has nice, large rooms, and is in excellent condition. Without doubt it is an exceptional bargain; and if you are interested, ask us about it early, for property of this kind does not remain on the market but for a very few days. D. R. Foster & Co. ap6-1t

**FOR RENT**—Two nice rooms, furnished or unfurnished, New apartment; modern conveniences. Good locality. References exchanged. "L. H. L.," care Star. ap6-1t*

**ON THE TURNPIKE**—A beautiful lot running parallel with the road one hundred feet, and a depth of two hundred and fifty feet. Imposing homes have been built on both sides of this property, and it will undoubtedly increase in value 200 per cent. within the next eighteen months. D. R. Foster & Co. ap6-1t

**FOR SALE**—As a home or investment, that very desirable lot with dwelling, 1208 Market street; lot 33x150; price right. J. H. Kuck. ap6-1t

**FOR SALE**—House and lot, 911 Queen street, 66x82, paying now 6 per cent. on the investment, besides two vacant lots to build on. See J. H. Kuck. ap6-1t

**HOME**—Do you want one? You can have either 415, 417 or 419 Castle street; good location, on car line. Price will suit you, call J. H. Kuck. ap6-1t

**AM NOT** in the Real Estate business, but for manufacturing purposes only will sell west half of block 377, in front of the Carolina Metal Products Company. Best manufacturing site in Wilmington. J. H. Kuck. ap6-1t

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**FOR RENT** — Furnished bed room in Grand Theatre building. Apply J. M. Solky. ap6-1t

**FOR RENT OR SALE**—My building at Carolina Beach, formerly used as restaurant, bowling alley and pool room; also other buildings used as rooming houses, completely fitted up and furnished. Apply to Hans A. Kure, or Kure Bros., corner Fourth and Nun streets. ap6-tf

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**NOTICE**—We beg to notify our friends that we have moved across the street to the Sam'l Bear, Sr., & Sons' old stand, No. 18 Market street. Our new 'phone number is 139. Let us have your orders. Tripp & Holden. ap4-6t

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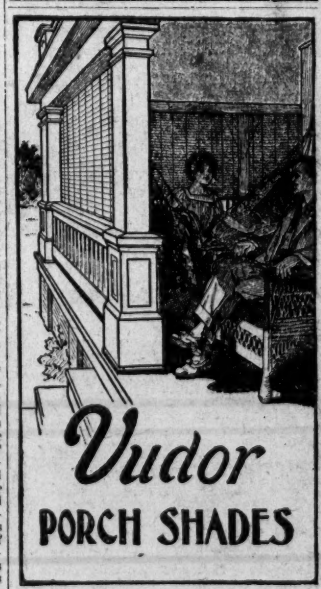

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## WOMEN RURAL COMMUNITIES

**Her Interests to Receive Large Share of Consideration at Conference for Education in the South, at Richmond, Va., This Week.**

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Women's interests are to receive a larger share of attention at the hands of the Sixteenth Conference for Education in the South, which meets at Richmond, Va., April 16th to 18th, than has ever been accorded them by any similar body in the history of the country.

This announcement was made recently by Dr. Albert P. Bourland, Executive Secretary of the Conference, in issuing the completed programme for five women's sub-conferences which are to be held in connection with the general conference. These gatherings are the first conference on the Education of Women in the country, and the annual sessions of the presidents of State Colleges for Women, the Southern Association of College Women, the League of Southern Women Writers, and the conference of State Organizers of School Improvement and of Girls' Demonstration Work.

"Of these conferences," said Dr. Bourland, "that which deals with the education of women in the country has the largest significance. It is likewise the first of the kind that has ever been held in the South.

"The importance of this conference proceeds from the fact that the siphoning of the rural population into the cities is very largely due to the unbearable living conditions which country women in the South have to put up with. These living conditions are to be exposed at the conference, not with the object of making any commotion about them, but rather for the purpose of correcting them.

"The speakers will show that if a desirable and efficient class of women is to be kept on the farms, the rural schools will have to be remodeled from top to bottom to fit their needs. As things are at present, the country school entails consequences upon our rural women folk which are nothing less than tragic. These schools do not teach health, they do not give training for home life, they do not prepare for parenthood, they do not teach cooking or sewing adequately, they do not train girls in farm sanitation, housekeeping, or out-of-door rural industries. More than this, the rural school does not educate its pupils to use their leisure to the best advantage when they are grown up, nor do they even prepare for political citizenship.

"This is a sweeping indictment which is to be brought against the rural school in the South, but remedies will be advanced at the same time. The conference will show that these schools can be made adequate for the training of women to meet present-day rural problems, if the curriculum be completely reorganized. At the same time, the high schools and colleges of the South must be remodelled that they will supply properly trained teachers and extension workers.

"The proposition will also be advanced that both the rural common school, the high school and the college in the South ought to become social centers, where the people of the neighborhood may meet for recreation, social enjoyment and culture.

"More than this, we shall take up the practical means by which the drudgery of women on the farm may be relieved. Thus, it is not generally known that water can be piped into every room of the average farmhouse at a cots of $225; yet this has been demonstrated by Mr. Joe Cooke, president of the State Normal School at Hattiesburg, Mississippi; and the labor which this one convenience will save the farm woman can hardly be computed. Scientific methods of cooking, analogous to the "Taylor system" of efficiency in industry; the development of interest in nature, art, and music; and a social life which will really satisfy the country woman are other means of lightening the burden of housekeeping in the country, which will be considered at the conference.

"Last of all, the characteristics which mark the model country home will be discussed."

The first conference on the education of women in the country is in charge of H. L. Whitfield, president of the Industrial Institute and College at Columbus, Mississippi, who drew up the programme; J. I. Foust, president of the Normal and Industrial College, at Greensboro, N. C.; D. B. Johnson, president of Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C., and J. L. Jarman, president of the State College for Women, at Farmville, Va. Among the speakers are: Miss Lelia A. Russell and Miss Mary E. Frayser, extension workers of Winthrop College; Miss Rhea C. Scott, who occupies a similar position in the State Normal School, at Harrisonburg, Va.; Miss Ella C. Agnew, organizer of girls' clubs, in Virginia; T. J. Coates, State Supervisor of Rural Schools in Kentucky; R. J. Willingham, State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Alabama; Eva Reichardt, State Organizer of School Improvement Clubs of Arkansas; Miss Jennie B. Gray, District Supervisor of Rural Schools, of Mt. Carmel, Va.; Miss Susie V. Powell, State Organizer of Girls' Clubs, of Mississippi; Miss Virginia P. Moore, State Organizer of Girls' Clubs, of Tennessee; Mrs. Charles P. Weaver, State Organizer of Girls' Clubs, of Kentucky; M. M. Parks, president of the Georgia Normal and Industrial School, at Milledgeville; Mrs. Hetty S. Browne, teacher of the experimental farm school, Rock Hill, S. C.; J. P. McConnell, president of the State Normal and Industrial School, at Abingdon, Va.; Mrs. Mary C. Roark, dean of the Women's Department of the State Normal College, at Richmond, Va.; Joe Cook, president of the State Normal College, at Hattiesburg, Miss., and Julian S. Burruss, president of the State Normal College, at Harrisonburg, Va.

The main question to come before the conference of the Presidents of State Colleges for Women is "How Can the Women on the Farms be Reached and Trained for Their Life-Work?" The conference is in charge of H. L. Whitfield, of Columbus, Miss., chairman; and J. I. Foust, of Greensboro, N. C., secretary.

The Southern Association of College Women will consider the topic: "The Standards of Southern Secondary Schools and Colleges." Miss May Lansfield Keller, of Baltimore, Md., as President of the Association, will preside. Miss Elizabeth A. Colton, of Raleigh, N. C., is secretary. Lawrence Abbott, a New York editor, will address the Southern College Women on "Keats in the Kitchen."

The proceedings of the League of Southern Women Writers will be directed by the league's president, Mrs. Rutledge Smith, of Cookville, Tennessee, and by its secretary, Mrs. Ida Clyde Clark, of Nashville, Tenn.

The conference of State organizers of School Improvement and agents of Girls' Demonstration Work, will discuss the question: "How Can the Girls' Club Work be Made a Part of the Work of the Rural Schools?"

Miss Susie V. Powell, of Jackson, Miss., is chairman of the conference and Miss Virginia P. Moore, of Nashville, Tennessee, is secretary.

Discussions at all women's conferences are to be held to a few minutes' length, the meetings consisting largely of an interchange of experience and ideas.

## PROOF AGAINST CROOKS

**Jersey Inventor Sees End of Check-raising Game**

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newark, N. J., April 5.—While check raisers and forgers in the United States have been doing an annual business of $15,000,000, deceiving the most alert bank cashiers and baffling the best detectives in the country, Charles W. Howell, Jr., of this city has been working secretly on a device which he now proves "nips in the bud" any attempt to alter or forge checks.

According to a crook expert who was formerly manager for William J. Burns, the famous detective, there are more forgery criminals in this country than any other class. In 1908, in a report to the American Bankers' Association the Pinkerton Detective Agency showed that there were seven cases of forgery and check-raising reported to every burglary.

These amazing facts started Mr. Howell working out his ideas about a device to protect checks. He discovered that modern methods, used in business to prevent criminals in their operations, did not put a stop to this crime. The crook's art is practiced more today than ever by amateur as well as professional forgers.

The machine Mr. Howell has resembles somewhat a small-sized typewriter. The valuable features about it are chiefly two; a peculiar kind of type that causes ink to penetrate through paper at the same time making small perforations. At the same time, the writing does not lose the character of its appearance and makes it impossible for the most skillful penman or artist to imitate. The other feature is the use of a new indelible ink which he defies any professional forger to erase by any method known to him. When seen in his little work shop at 43 Stratford Place, Mr. Howell made this statement:

"The more I learned about this class of criminals, the more determined I became to discover a method for putting a stop to their easy graft game. The public is really kept in ignorance of the facts connected with forgeries. In the United States this business yields a revenue of $15,000,000 in a single year. That is the amount of money actually stolen by forgers—hard cash that they get away with, according to the estimates made by surety companies and detective agencies which are most concerned in the matter. The figures are astounding but nevertheless true.

"So serious has the work of the pen crook become that three years ago only three surety companies were issuing insurance against forgery and check-raising. Two of them were compelled to stop this kind of business; the other charged $750 premium on a $5,000 policy for the period of one year.

"One of the chief reasons why forgeries seldom see the light of publicity might injure them. One prominent New York bank in one year lost $19,000 on three checks. This has never been published, while the name of the bank would be known to any business man in the country."

In working out his check-writing machine, Mr. Howell said he kept in mind two salient facts; that in nine cases out of ten the crook changes the amount of the check when small to a higher amount, and more important still, the name of the person to whom the money is to be paid is almost invariably erased and the crook writes instead "bearer" or "cash" so as to easily cash the check. It is necessary to consider that the Payee's name is the most important part of a check to protect, because it would require superhuman effort by the crook to get the check cashed. Mr. Howell's machine makes it impossible for crooks to make either of these changes. Mr. Howell has experimented with his machine for several years and it shows his skill as an expert engineer as well as a chemist.

## CHATTANOOGA TO BE READY

**Twenty-third Annual Reunion of United Confederate Veterans**

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 5.—The twenty-third annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held in Chattanooga May 27th to 29th, 1913. The reunion of the Sons of Confederate Veterans will be held at the same time. Chattanooga is making preparations to entertain these reunions on a broad, patriotic, liberal scale.

Two of the most deadly and decisive battles of the Civil War were fought here in the Fall of 1863, besides a number of smaller engagements. This year is the 50th anniversary of these great battles and the May reunion will be in the nature of a semi-centennial celebration of these historic conflicts between the Blue and the Gray.

Gen. Bennet H. Young, of Louisville, Ky., is the commanding general of the United Confederate Veterans' Association. Gen. Wm. E. Mickle is adjutant general and chief of staff.

The Department of the Army of Tennessee is commanded by Lieutenant General George P. Harrison; Gen. E. J. Sykes, adjutant general and chief of staff.

The Army of Northern Virginia is commanded by Gen. Theo. S. Garnett; Gen. E. V. White, adjutant general and chief of staff.

The Department of the Pacific is commanded by Gen. Wm. C. Harrison; Gen. B. L. Hodge, adjutant general and chief of staff.

The Trans-Mississippi Department is in command of Gen. K. M. Van Zandt.

Col. Nathan Bedford Forrest, son of the brilliant Confederate cavalry commander, is commander-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans.

The Chattanooga Confederate Reunion Association was organized and incorporated under the laws of Tennessee for the express purpose of directing the immense amount of work necessary to properly entertain the reunion veterans and visitors. Under the authority of this association a general executive committee was appointed from the business and professional men of Chattanooga to direct the work. The officers are as follows: W. E. Brock, general chairman; Z. C. Patten, Jr., vice chairman; T. R. Preston, treasurer; Jas. F. Finlay, secretary.

Chairman Brock, of the executive committee, has appointed more than 40 committees, and each committee is busy in its own sphere preparing to entertain a crowd of 150,000 visitors that are confidently expected to attend the reunion.

The publicity work of the reunion is under the direction of Mr. P. J. Kruesi, who was selected for the important position of chairman of the publicity committee because of his peculiar fitness. He has a well-organized force at work supplying all desired information and conducting a press bureau.

## BATTLE OF CHICKAMAUGA.

**History Being Discussed in Connection With Veterans' Reunion.**

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 5. — The question as to which army won in the battle of Chickamauga has provoked much controversy, but unbiassed history sets the engagement down in the list of drawn battles. The Confederate historians, however, insist that the victory was with the Southern army.

The late Gen. H. V. Boynton and the late Gen. John B. Gordon had a number of sharp passages in public prints years ago over the question. Gen. Boynton advanced the argument that Rosecranz did not run away from Chickamauga; that after the battle "he advanced on Chattanooga." In reply to this somewhat remarkable proposition, Gen. Gordon said that inasmuch as Rosecranz had been in possession of Chattanooga for months, he could not understand how his retreat from Chickamauga could be twisted into an advance on Chattanooga.

Gen. Gordon went on to explain the situation at some length. He said that Gen. Rosecranz had Atlanta as his objective; that he left his stronghold at Chattanooga, and turned his face south. After the battle his face was turned back to Chattanooga, where he proceeded to fortify his position even stronger than ever. The fact that the Confederates met Rosecranz at Chickamauga and turned him back is the circumstance upon which men like Gen. Gordon base their claim to the victory.

Gen. Bragg was severely criticised for failure to follow Gen. Rosecranz into Chattanooga and finish him. However, Gen. John B. Gordon defends Bragg. He says that Gen. Bragg knew that Chattanooga was strongly fortified, that wires had been stretched at intervals across the fields between Chickamauga and Chattanooga to obstruct as much as possible a Confederate advance, and that other obstructions had been placed in the path of the Confederates. Gen. Rosecranz, it seems, had anticipated a possible advance on Chattanooga by the Confederates, and had done everything known to war preparations to obstruct his antagonists, if they attempted to storm him in his stronghold. Gen. Gordon was of the opinion, in later years of his life that if Gen. Bragg had undertaken to follow Rosecranz into Chattanooga his army would have been cut to pieces or captured.

Two months after the battle of Chickamauga the armies found themselves engaged in another death grapple. From September 23 to November 24, the date of the Lookout mountain engagement, the armies had been repairing the awful damages to their ranks in the Chickamauga massacre. The battle of Lookout mountain opened the final conflict on these historic fields. This battle was fought November 24. Next day came the battle of Missionary Ridge, November 25. The latter engagement broke the power of the Confederates in the Chattanooga territory, and left the Federals in undisputed possession of the valley.

Including the battles of Chickamauga, Lookout mountain and Missionary Ridge, and various skirmishes incident thereto, the losses here were about 47,000. These facts and incidents will be of intense interest to the Confederate veterans and visitors when they assemble here May 27-29, for their annual reunion. The environs of Chattanooga are richer in war history than any other point on the American continent. For this reason, and additional fact that no locality has so much scenic beauty, the attendance on this May reunion is expected to be the largest in the history of the association of Confederate veterans.

## INTEREST IN TOURING.

**Attention of Motorists is Rapidly Turning to Their Own Country.**

New York, April 5.—More evident this Spring than ever before is the inclination on the part of American motorists to tour in their own country, rather than to go abroad and continue journeying over the well planned road systems of France, Great Britain and Germany. Early inquiries from members of the 500 A. A. A. clubs to the Touring Information Bureau at 437 Fifth avenue, indicate that while New England, as usual, will get her share of these inter-State travelers, many others will venture into the Rocky Mountain territory, with a growing percentage seeking the Pacific coast.

While the exact route of the 1913 National Reliability Tour for the Glidden A. A. A., and Anderson trophies has not been definitely decided upon, the probabilities are that it will be from the Twin Cities to Glacier National Park, over a trail the greater part of which will follow the Great Northern Railroad, which will supply special trains for night accommodations. A positive decision and the details of this great National event will be forthcoming within the next week or ten days.

In having sought, from the outset, to attract tourists by road as well as by train, those interested in Glacier National Park have pursued a somewhat different course from that of the interests allied most closely with Yellowstone Park. The Flathead Motor Club of Kalispell, practically at its own expense, built a road from that city to the lower entrance to the park, while the railroad possessing the northern entrance is interesting itself in the earliest possible construction of a highway which sooner or later will be connected with the southern route. This automobile and carrige road through the park will invite the tourist to enjoy, with the utmost comfort, the beauties of this new wonderland.

The California motorists are striving for better opportunities in the Yosemite National Park, and for better roads leading to it. Decided gains have been made during the last year in road improvement and at a conference held at the park in October, the then Secretary of the Interior expressed his willingness to open that park to automobiles when the needed funds for road improvement within the reserve were at hand.

With the tourist business of the country increasing by leaps and bounds, it is a foregone conclusion that the new administration will early take action which will be in harmony with those interests of the country which seek to make Americans better acquainted with America, with profit to all concerned.

While the scenic road along the rim of the Grand Canyon, Ariz., and those roads leading on to Hopi, Yavapai and Grand View points are not yet open to cars, but must be traversed in horse-drawn vehicles provided by a subsidiary of the railroad serving this territory, many commercial bodies are interested in bringing about changed conditions so that there may be as free use of these scenic routes as is consistent with safety.

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## GOSSIP OF FOREIGN CAPITALS

**Cemeteries of Berlin—Poles Declare Boycott Against Church—Buying Out Polish Landowners—Other Notes.**

Berlin, April 5.—Statistics show that the average grave in Berlin is cared for by loving relatives for less than 10 years; consequently the term of occupancy by the departed has been reduced in Wilmersdorf from 30 to 20 years. Thus is provision made to meet the increasing demand on cemetery space in a large and growing city, and a leeway of eight years still allowed for the protection of the feelings of those who remain behind. This applies to adults. The same ruthless statistics show that the graves of children are looked after for a lesser period, and consequently they may be occupied for 12 years only.

One of the largest graveyards of Berlin is located at Wilmersdorf. The 20 and 12 year periods of tenancy already prevail in the Berlin municipal cemetery, the mounds then being leveled off, any memorials removed, and the graves made ready for other occupants.

The authorities declare that unless some such course as this is followed, all the land in Berlin available for burial purposes would be exhausted in 12 years. The tardy authorization by parliament last year of cremation may check the demand for cemetery space, but probably not to any great extent.

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The Poles of Wilhelmsburg, near Hamburg, have declared a boycott against the church, following the failure of the church authorities to heed a petition for the installation of a Polish instead of a German pastor.

They assert that they will not attend nor contribute money to the church, and that they will celebrate no wedding or baptisms so long as the German pastor remains in charge. If one of them dies, he will be buried in the Lutheran cemetery. The poles

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# Startling Secrets of The World's Most Famous Self-Made Beauty

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Valeska Suratt is the new flower on the American stage, not the dolled, kinky wig variety of powder and rouge, which the round moon of the spotlight deceives into a resemblance of beauty, but like a marbled Venus in life, whose features faultless in line and texture can stand the scorching criticism of the sun. It is a maddening beauty, yet not born, but made.

With the lure of Broadway in her veins, that national pathway of wasted hopes, she became a histrionic climber to the top of the world's stage in a fraction of the time in which the ordinary star takes the dizzy trip. The emotional ecstacy of her acting carried her hearers into palpitating frenzy and her name was made. —Valeska of "The Whooping Cough," "The Red Rose", and the "Kiss Waltz." She has the reputation of being the most expensively gowned woman on the American stage, but whether it is the elegance of her raiment, or the twenty-karat diamond solitaire, that is the Suratt pride, the diamond ring which is the gift of Duke Boris of Russia, or the string of diamonds that encircles the left Suratt ankle, or the bewildering Suratt hats that magnetize the eye, the beauty of her face and form will be the most lingering of all your impressions.

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These beauty talks will be truly Valeskian, told only as Valeska herself can tell them. She has graciously agreed to retain nothing but to tell every one of her secrets, and every Sunday will be revealed her magic art of beauty-making.

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## *By Valeska Suratt*

WELL, my dear sisters, my first chat will not be about things that you would not do anyhow. It will be about things that are simple; things you can't forget; things that will require but a few moments of your time and which are merely in line with your ordinary toilet which you engage in every day in the year.

I sometimes wonder whether or not I am really the one who has found the real source of beauty-making—it has all come so easily, so quickly, so promptly, almost as at the touch of a fairy wand.

All that I had tried and used before were makeshifts and make-believes. I knew it, because when I would arise in the morning with hair dishevelled, with drowsy eyes, and the ruby on my cheek had gone, and the pallor of the morning had come, all the work of the previous day had vanished and another day of struggling for twelve hours of beauty at the dressing-table lay before me. Now the mornings have no terrors for me. The beauty work that I did yesterday, last week, last month, last year, still remains for today, tomorrow and the future. I live in peace and happiness with the beckoning world before me. They receive me with open arms, and I love them.

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Today I have picked out several of the most important of my beauty secrets, and I am sure if you will do exactly as I instruct you to do, you will, in the next few weeks, say with me, Eureka! Then your heart will palpitate with mine, and you will know.

Most important to the average woman is how to get rid of those tell-tale signs of age, Father Time's register, wrinkles! I have used the following treatment for several years, after I gave up the old, thread-bare advice that seemed to take an age to produce any result at all. I made up the treatment myself, and had several of my deserving friends use it.

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Make up the treatment yourself as follows, obey instructions implicitly and you will not be disappointed:

In a large bowl pour one-half pint of very hot water, not boiling. Place this bowl in a pan of water on a slow fire. In a few minutes add two ounces of eptol and continue stirring until all is dissolved. At first it will look like jelly, then it will start to cream. When it does this, remove it from the fire and stir constantly until cold. Add slowly two tablespoonfuls of glycerine. Then keep it in an air-tight jar. You should be able to get eptol at any good drug store and it should not cost you more than fifty cents. This will last quite a while.

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**"One thing is essential—you must use my formulas liberally. If you try to be sparing in applying them you rob yourself of their wonderful results."**

Apply this cream every morning with the tips of the ten fingers, after you have washed your face thoroughly with warm water and soap. Plaster your face very liberally all over with it, around the eyes, on the forehead, on either side of the mouth, everywhere. After you have applied it, don't merely rub your face all over as though you were handling a baby's skin, but dig right in. Take up the flesh in your fingers and pinch it, squeeze it, roll it. Do this for a few minutes, until the cream disappears. Then apply your complexion powder. Do the same at night. This cream will not grow hair.

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I am going to give you next my special secret for bust development. I can positively assure any woman, young or middle-aged that the bust can be developed luxuriantly in a comparatively short time. If this simple formula is faithfully followed, success sure and surprising is bound to result. Electricity, vacuum instruments, etc., are of no value whatever. I tried them out several years ago myself, and know.

In a half-pint of cold water, dissolve a half cup of sugar and two ounces of what is called ruetone. Mix well together. Then pour into a bottle. Of this take two tablespoonfuls three or four times a day in a half glass of water after meals. The ruetone you can get at the drug-store for one dollar. This formula is course. It gives very remarkable results in a few weeks' time.

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Failing hair undoubtedly can be stopped at once by the following mixture and the hair be made to grow most luxuriantly.

With a half-pint of water mix half a pint of alcohol. To this add one ounce of beta-quinol. Shake thoroughly, and it will then be ready for use. If you prefer, you can use imported bay rum instead of the water and alcohol.

The beta-quinol you can get at almost any drug store for not more than fifty cents. The ordinary prepared hair tonics which you buy in the stores usually cost you one dollar. But this formula makes one full pint of the best hair-grower and it costs you much less than a dollar.

This formula should be applied very freely after brushing the scalp generously for a few minutes all over. Rub the tonic thoroughly into the scalp with the finger tips.

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Next Sunday I will give you several more of my beauty secrets.

*Valeska Suratt in One of Her Magnificent Stage Costumes*

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# THEATRICAL

The present week will be one of the most important and interesting in the history of the Academy, and will be followed by another notable week, because on the 16th the famed Luneska Suratt is to appear in "The Waltz Kiss." But as to this week:

Well, tomorrow night the well gnown Coburn Minstrels will hold the boards and will, no doubt, be greeted by a big house and for two reasons. First, of course, because the show is a fine one; second, because Wilmington is minstrelsy hungry, not having had a burnt cork attraction since early in the season, when the Field show played its annual engagement. Seats for tomorrow night's event went on sale at Plummer's yesterday and the usual minstrel scale of prices prevails; that is, $1 being the top price.

Wednesday night of this week, one of the greatest dramatic events of this or any other season will be offered in "Bought and Paid For." It is George Broadhurst's latest comedy and a regular William A. Brady company and production will be seen, which means something brilliant, of course. Theatre-goers should by all means appreciate the importance of this event before it is too late.

**The Coburn Minstrels**

Better than ever, everything new, the greatest laughing show ever organized and presented by that popular company Coburn's Greater Minstrels will appear at the Academy tomorrow night. Look at the funmakers, Charley Gano, he demonstrated last season his ability to please, his versatility, his prestige as one of the best in minsterlsy. Nick Glynn, that funny "Nocodemus," one of the funniest, drollest, true to nature black face characters in his line. He is a new face with Manager Coburn, but he is great as a funmaker and a laugh-getter. Then Settle, Wilson, Leible, Fisher, singers, dancers, comedians, all new entertainers with this popular attraction. Gano's new Finale to the big First Part "Progressive Political Oratory," a scream from start to finish. The afterpiece "Managerial Difficulties," another laugh-getting, funmaking number entirely new this season. Those who remember Mr. Gano in "Getting the Money" and the "Mysterious Hotel last season will require nothing else to guarantee an evening's fun and a laugh in every minute. The best male choir in its history, all the latest songs and music, all that is good in minstrelsy.

**A Notable Event.**

Attention of Wilmington theatre-goers should certainly be focussed on Wednesday night's offering, "Bought and Paid For", to be presented by one of William A. Brady's strongest companies and with mammoth stage equipment.

The attraction has been highly praised everywhere. The Charleston News and Courier has just joined in with the following tribute:

"George Broadhurst's strong and moving drama, 'Bought and Paid For', was presented at the Academy of Music last night. Unlike many of the companies which present plays of this type in the South, the company which William A. Brady has sent out with Broadhurst's play is uniformly strong. The audience last night saw a great New York success presented with force and sympathy and a true understanding of motive. Applause was frequent and prolonged, and from the viewpoint of the audience the evening was a success.

"The play is intensely human. It is not a great drama, but it is a very appealing one, and it goes straight to the heart. In the hands of the troupe which is presenting it on the road this year little of its emotional appeal is lost. Chester DeVonee, as Robert Stafford, the great financier, who marries a wife that does not love him, measures up to every requirement of the role. Miss Evelyn Weilding, who leaves Stafford because he drinks, only to realize her love when it is too late, handles in creditable fashion a role which demands an emotional actress of great ability. Hobart Cavenaugh, as James Gilley, the brother-in-law, who is always having ideas, with considerable skill, while the work of Miss Dorothy Davies, as the wife's sister and Gilley's wife, leaves nothing to be desired.

"The play is one of the best of its type that has been here this season and is well worth seeing. A large audience should witness its second and last presentation this evening."

**The Noted Stage Beauty.**

The noted stage beauty, Valeska Suratt, and the complete Valeska Suratt Opera Company, in the famous New York Casino operetta, "The Kiss Waltz", last season's biggest musical success in New York, and a recent operatic triumph in Boston and Chicago, will be the attraction at the Academy the night of April 16th.

The production is staged elaborately, and the noted beauty's supporting company includes a host of New York favorites. The production in scenic and costume detail is said to far excel anything ever previously attempted in operetta, but this is not surprising to those used to the usual way in which the Casino theatre enterprises are staged. The managers have also given their star the support of a company of notable New York singers and comedians and a bewitching feminine chorus, young women said to have operatic voices as well as charms of face and figure. The more stately of these will wear the latest in London and Paris gownings. The orchestra during the week of Suratt opera is to be of special augmentation.

**Big Monday at the Grand.**

Monday will certainly start off a new and big week at the Grand Theatre, the management offering for tomorrow a magnificent historical production of "The Retreat From Moscow". This picture is based on one of the world's greatest tragedies, Napoleon's disastrous retreat from the burning city he had conquered. Along the way his faithful soldiers died of cold and disease, while starving themselves, they made food for hungry wolves. The sufferings of this grand army remain unparalleled and in this picture the retreat is made with the assistance of the Imperial Russian army. The capture of Moscow is shown in several thrilling scenes in which battles fully 10,000 people participate. This is a big two-reel feature and is produced by the Pathe Freres at an enormous expense. It will in itself be worth many times the price of admission, but there will be still another picture to lighten the bill.

Mr. Harry Harris will sing for his song tomorrow "Fiddle! Dee! Dee!" This is a favorite song with Harris and will be appreciated by all patrons of the theatre tomorrow.

**At the Bijou.**

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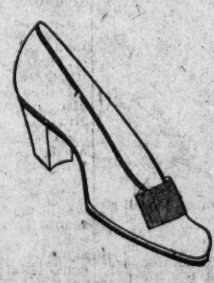

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# GOSSIP OF FOREIGN CAPITALS

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have, up to the present time, had a German pastor who spoke Polish, but they now refuse longer to be satisfied with this arrangement.

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The Prussian government proposes to continue with energy its efforts to buy out Polish landowners and settle German peasants on their lands, and it has asked the Diet for another appropriation of nearly $55,000,000 to continue this work. This is done in spite of the fact that since the German colonization scheme was started 26 years ago, it has cost the government approximately $6,700 to settle each German family on acquired Polish land, and that almost $200,000,000 has been expended on a project that has shown returns of less than $60,000,000.

The report of the Polish Settlement Committee for 1912 sets forth that 55,877 acres of land were acquired during the year at an average price of $133 an acre. During the year 26 new villages were established, in which 864 families found homes.

A total of 123,558 German settlers have been transferred to acquired Polish lands since 1886.

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The fame of the "Captain of Kopernick" and the success of his daring undertaking has brought this brazen adventurer many imitators. The latest turned up at Sotterhausen, a village in Prussian Saxony, where the municipal treasury was robbed last week of $100 by a civilian "Captain of Kopernick", who played upon the inbred respect of the average German for authority.

A well dressed man entered the town tax collector's office, introduced himself as "Government Assessor von Bohlen und Halbach," and informed the officials that he had come to inspect the books and transfer the cash on hand to the treasury of the government district in which Sotterhausen is situated. The officials, impressed by the man's appearance and his name, which is highly respected in Germany, allowed the stranger to go though the books and carry away all the money in the safe, an even hundred dollars.

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Bishop Koppes, the Roman Catholic bishop of Luxemburg, has taken steps to punish the Catholic deputies who voted last year for the new school law, a measure which materially restricts the powers of the church in the Grand Duchy in the control of schools.

The bishop issued an order prescribing that delegates who voted for the bill be refused participation in the Easter communion unless they made formal declaration that they regretted their vote; that they would endeavor to have the church's former powers in school affairs restored, and that they authorized their respective pastors to report to the bishop to this effect. Denial of the Easter communication is tantamount to the lesser excommunication, and the delegates affected, virtually all of whom are members of the Catholic church, were seriously concerned over the situation. Some few of them repudiated their legislative action, but a majority accepted the punishment of the church.

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Wilhelm Burchardt, of Tilsit, has just come from a hospital in Koenigsberg with a pair of straight legs, the present of his Emperor. Now he will be able to do his military service, and he probably will enter the Guards.

When Burchardt reported last Autumn for examination, preliminary to entering the army as a recruit, the army surgeons found him in excellent physical condition, but were forced to reject him as unavailable because he was extremely knock-kneed. The young man, who wanted badly to serve, sent a petition to the Emperor for aid. The Emperor responded by having him sent to a hospital for an operation and paid the expenses from his private purse. The operation was a complete success.

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Subscriptions to Germany's National Aviation Fund have now reached $1,763,435, some $50,000 having been received since the lists were officially closed December 15th.

This contrasts most favorably with the final results just announced for the National Aviation Fund in France, where, in spite of the country's wealth and enthusiasm for aviation, paid-in subscriptions amount to only $784,923. French subscriptions amounting to $150,000 have so far proved uncollectable. The comparison shows not only a larger total subscription, but also a larger per capita subscription in Germany than in France.

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### Talked in Paris.

Paris, April 5.—The study of the psychology of sport will form a special feature of the coming Olympic Congress at Lausanne.

Hitherto sport has been looked upon principally as a medium of physical improvement, but recently French scientists have been examining the intellectual effects of various games. First observations would seem to show that besides the development of semi-moral qualities, such as courage and perseverance, each game or exercise has certain special characteristics which act on and improve the mind.

The Olympic Congress, starting from this basis, proposes to ask a number of leading devotees of every form of sport to analyze the various phenomena observable in themselves and other athletes. Questions will be asked concerning the origin of the taste for sports; whether due to natural, general or special aptitudes, to heredity or to instinct; and to what extent the spirit of imitation or will power is responsible. Then the continuity and method of cultivating the taste: Is it inherent to the personality? is it born physically from a species of muscular automatism, of a desire for fresh air—or is it implanted in individuals by the ambition to be beautiful, healthy and strong, or merely to be applauded?

Finally the results: does training cause excessive fatigue to the body? does it produce a greater power of physical resistance, or the development of will power and self confidence? Does it lead to mental equipoise and a philosophic attitude towards life and conduct?

It is expected that the data obtained will prove of great value, and form the foundation of a new branch of experimental psychology of importance to educationalists.

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Rifle shooting is to the Swiss people what baseball is to Americans, their National sport. The Swiss are the crack rifle shots of Europe, and if there is any truth in the old adage that practice makes perfect, they ought to be, for last year they expended 30,000,000 ball cartridges on private rifle ranges. This is quite aside from the practice conducted by the government in connection with the army maneuvers.

The growing popularity of rifle shooting by the citizens of Switzerland is shown by the fact that 10 years ago only 14,000,000 cartridges were expended for perfection in this art. Today there is not a Swiss boy over 16 years old who cannot handle a military rifle with accuracy, and many women also are good shots. During the last 10 years the Swiss teams have been victorious in every international contest they ever entered, and much interest attaches here to the showing they will make in the coming international rifle shooting competition in the United States.

It is the ambition of nearly every Swiss to become a first-class shot, and he will cheerfully spend his money for cartridges to attain his object. The National love for shooting is encouraged and helped in every way by the military authorities.

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Turin will hold this Spring an art exhibition the purpose of which is to remove the impression that women are far behind men in the field of fine arts. An exhibition with such a purpose is unique in Europe, and while it is not an effort to further the cause of women in the generally accepted sense, it is one of the first evidences in Italy that Italian women are responding to the feminist movement that finds its expression in America and England in the demand for the ballot.

The exhibition, to give it its full title, the Woman's International Exhibition of Fine Arts, will be held in the beautiful Valentino Park, well known through the International Exhibition of two years ago, which also had its site there. It is expected that the contributions will number over 1,000, of which about half will come from different parts of Italy, but almost every country in the world will be represented. As is inevitable, some have limited artistic value, while others are wonderfully good, showing in some cases veritable genius. But all are interesting as showing the directions in which women are working in art. And there are contributions from all classes of society, from royal ladies to humble peasants.

The Countess of Flanders, mother of the King of Belgium, already has sent her contribution, while another exhibit of exceptional interest is a work in marble by Mrs. Robert F. Scott, widow of the English explorer, who lost his life at the South Pole.

A noticeable feature of this exhibition is that a majority of the works of art come from such countries as Italy, Hungary, Ireland, etc., where the campaign for the recognition of the rights of woman has not as yet made great headway.

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In contrast to the large sums of money often expended by the State in America to bring notorious criminals to justice, is the very small sum it has cost Paris to effect the conviction or acquittal of 22 men and women, the automobile bandits, who were charged with a long series of murders and robberies.

This case cost the French government exactly $4,600. Of this $2,000 went for the expenses of the actual trial; court fees, witnesses' allowances, cost of serving subpoenas, etc., while the rest was spent in the preliminary investigation by the judge who sifts the evidence obtained by the police and decides if a trial is justified.

Of the 19 men and three women placed on trial four were condemned to death, four were acquitted, and 14 were given various terms of imprisonment.

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The people of Paris can today witness a rare thing, a foreign naval vessel moored in the heart of their inland city. This is the British survey ship, "Rose", just starting on a voyage that will take her completely across France before she reaches the waters of the Mediterranean.

The Rose is going out to do surveying on the rivers of Gambia. She is of too slight draft to face the Spring gales of the Bay of Biscay, so the British navy department asked the French government if she could make use of the inland waterways of France.

After much consideration the Ministry of Public Works devised a combination of canals with the requisite depth, drafted out an itinerary and gave permission for the Rose's passage through France. The vessel sailed from Southampton to Havre, where she entered the Seine; from Paris she will go by various canals to the Rhone, coming out to the sea again at Marseilles.

The Rose is commanded by Capt. Geoffrey Simson, of the Rayol Navy.

### WHAT IS THRIFT

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"Economy no more means saving money than it means spending money; it means administration of a house; its stewardship; spending or saving, whether money or time, or anything else, to the best possible advantage."—Ruskin.

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At times, spending, instead of saving, may be the wisest course. Thrift at once earns and saves, with a view to wholesome and profitable expenditure at a fitting time.

But the actual accumulation of money is the outward and visible sign that a man is really thrifty, and, although thrift means more than just saving, to a large extent saving is the measure of a man's progress.

Money isn't everything. It can't always buy health and happiness, but if by your present thrift you are able to get into comfortable circumstances and banish the worry of debt, will you not be doing something that will surely make for health and happiness?

While saving alone is not thrift, it is an indispensable part of it. However, we do not wish to encourage anyone to be stingy. Between saving money sensibly and being a genuine "tightwad" there is a vast difference.

Thrift is more than prudence, which is merely good judgment and foresight in the practical affairs of life. It is more than economy, which is a disposition to save. It is more than frugality which is prudent economy in the care of money or goods.

Parsimony is excessive and unreasonable saving for the sake of saving.

Miserliness denies one's self and others the comforts and even the necessities of life for the mere pleasure of hoarding.

Industry earns, economy manages, prudence plans, frugality saves; but thrift earns, plans, manages and saves.

As W. H. Kniffin, Jr., puts it in his new book, "The Savings Bank and Its Practical Work:" "The thrift habit teaches a man to earn largely, that he may save wisely, so as to be able to spend advantageously in the time of need or opportunity, when the need will be greater or the opportunity better than that of the present."

Lord Rosebery, the famous British statesman, said: "Whatever thrift is, it is not avarice. Avarice is not generous; and after all, it is the thrifty people who are generous. All true generosity can only proceed from thrift, because it is no generosity to give money which does not belong to you, as is the case with the unthrifty. And I venture to say that of all the great philanthropists, all the great financial benefactors of their species of whom we have any record, the most generous of all must have been thrifty men."

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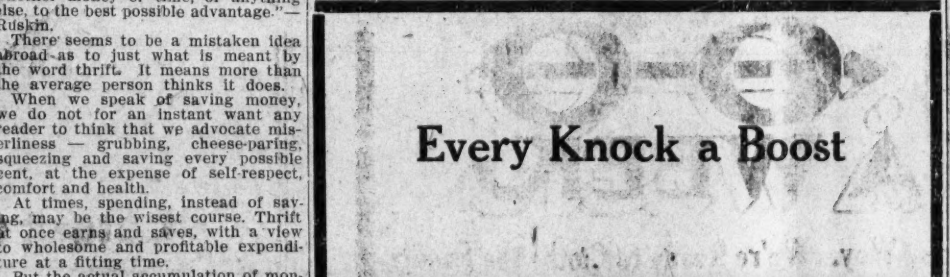

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Now, I do not mean that you are not to use liquids; far from it. Drink pure, clean water; lots of it; a gallon daily is not too much for an adult. It is necessary, if you want to keep well. The laboratory can not properly do its work without water, and it must have certain chemicals to work with. Through the salivary glands Nature supplies an alkaline fluid which is absolutely necessary in the digestion of starches and fats. When liquid is taken with the food, or the principal articles eaten are soft mushy foods that do not require the secretions of these glands, they do not act. In nature when a thing is not used it decays, and when soft foods are habitually used or liquids are taken with hard foods, the teeth are not used, and the salivary glands get discouraged and quit. In such cases the victim either becomes thin and poorly nourished or exceedingly fat and uncomfortable; neither condition is normal, nor is the individual at his best, either physically, mentally or morally.

**Club Notes.**

I will gladly answer all inquiries for information on health subjects from readers of this publication if same are addressed to Home Health Club, 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago. Send full name and address with 4 cents postage.

Dear Doctor:—As a reader of your lectures I have been interested in the Home Health Club for some time, and always like it. My husband and I have been annoyed with some itching all over our bodies. We also have had some little pimples apearing on the skin in different locations. We think that we need a good blood purifier. Would you please tell us what to take?

MRS. O. C. M.

Itching conditions of the skin and the appearance of pimples, as above described, are usually due to the presence in the system of poisons resulting from the use of too stimulating a diet, or to results of fermentation of food. The latter condition usually being in its turn dependent upon constipation. These skin disorders are more prevalent in Winter, because during this season the average diet is much heavier and most people tend to drink too little water, as the thirst is not nearly so great as during the warmer season. In order to correct this tendency, a non-stimulating and laxative diet should be used, such as bran bread, green vegetables, raw chopped cabbage, etc., and less amounts of meat, eggs, etc. Fruits, especially apples, prunes, figs, etc., are advisable, also butter and cream. Four to six pints of water should be taken daily, including one pint taken hot immediately upon arising in the morning, after adding a teaspoonful of lemon juice. The food should be thoroughly chewed and the teeth put in good condition if it is required. In order to stimulate the liver, kidneys and other glands through which the poisons of the body should be excreted as fast as formed, the old-fashioned vegetable remedy, Compound Gentian, prepared according to Thompsonian formula, is very successful. The harsh, dry condition of the skin which is usually present, is also partly due in all probability to the extreme dryness of atmosphere of most houses during the Winter, and this should be corrected by evaporating plenty of water.

Dear Doctor:—I would like to ask you what I could do to stop noises in my ear, which affect me terribly. I cannot attend church as they make me deaf. Am well all but my hearing; I have had it several years, but find as I grow older and work a little, that the noise is worse. Please tell me what to do, if there is any cure for it.—MRS. J. P. McG.

Noises in the ears, or tinnitus, are due to different causes, such as disturbances of the circulation in the head, constipation, various drugs, etc.; catarrh of the lining merbrane of eustachian tubes or middle ear cavity; or, in the aged, to the gradual shrinking of the tissues, which occurs at that time of life, as a result of which the delicate nerve filaments are pulled upon and irritated. You do not give your age, but I presume that you are past middle life, so the last named cause is probably the one responsible for your trouble and an entire cure doubtful of attainment. Make sure by washing out the ear that there are no accumulations of wax present. Inflation of the eustachian tubes and middle ear cavities and gentle massage of the drums by means of a rubber bulb or other pneumatic device would be found benencial, at least temporarily, but you should have to visit a specialist for the administration of these treatments. In Vol. 3 of the Home Health Club series of books will be found an instructive description of many of the commoner ear derangements with the treatement adapted to each.

Dear Doctor:—Please tell me what I can do for my brother, who has asthma. He had pneumonia three years ago and has had the asthma more or less ever since. He is better in clear, dry or freezing weather, but gets very sick and weak when it is damp or raining. He is 40 years old. We are at sea level here; would a higher altitude help him?—MRS. L. M. L.

If you have the Home Health Club series of books, you will find a series of articles on asthma which will give you much more information on this subject than I can do in this column. Your description of your brother's case is not as full as it should be in order to make the underlying cause of his symptoms entirely clear. Difficult breathing may result from an affection of the heart, kidneys, lungs or bronchial tubes. As it has followed an attack of pneumonia or kidney disease, it is probably what is known as bronchial or spasmodic asthma, a condition in which the presence of some irritant in the system or in the air breathed causes contraction of the tiny muscles surrounding the small air-tubes so as to lessen their air capacity. A change to a drier climate would undoubtedly benefit him, the best altitude depending upon the condition of his heart. As the nervous element enters largely into the cause of this disease, the whole body should be examined, especially nose, throat, rectal and genital regions, for any condition causing nervous irritation, which, if found, should be removed. Digestion must be made efficient, also elimination compound gentian being an excellent remedy for this purpose. Daily short cold sponge baths to neck and chest would be of help. Among internal remedies I consider the tissue foods kali. phos. and mag. phos. best, used alternately.

Dear Doctor:—I seem to have too much acid in my blood. Is Fowler's solution of arsenic good for overcoming this difficulty? Is there any danger in taking the solution for, say, eight months or more? Have had eczema for four or five years by spells.

J. W.

I never like to recommend poisons of any kind, for home use as medicines, and especially as they are entirely unnecessary. Any condition of the blood can be changed by a properly selected diet. What is known as acidity is caused primarily by fermentation of food in the alimentary canal. Go to the source of your disease, change your diet, eat less but chew your food better and drink at least a gallon of water daily. Try this plan for two months, report progress made at that time and, if necessary, I will then give you more specific directions.

### HUNTING "SNAPPER" TURTLE

**Big Loggerheads Hibernate Until Spring and Then Emerge**

(Cedarville, N. J., dispatch to Philadelphia Record.)

One of the oldest and most successful of hunters of the toothsome and popular "snapper" or loggerhead, the big and vicious turtle that graces the soup kettle so fittingly, is Henry Duffield, of this place. Duffield, who is a Civil War veteran, seems to have been born with an instinct for discovering the aggressive denizen of the mud. Already this season he has landed two big prizes, one weighing 15 and the other more than 18 pounds.

Duffield's method of capture is like that employed by most of the hunters, but he has more success than most of them. At this season of the year the "snappers" are imbedded deep in the mud of the marshes and along creeks, where they have hibernated all Winter. In the early Spring they leave their Winter quarters, coming out fat, most of them. The female seeks a sand bank, where she digs a hole and deposits her eggs, sometimes as many as 2 dozen. They are white, nearly round, and as large as a small English walnut. After carefully covering them she leaves them, and the heat of the sun hatches them out late in the Summer. Duffield's method in locating the "snapper" is to sound the muddy places with a prod about 5 feet in length, and he can tell in an instant when he strikes. The real work comes when he raises the alert and pugnacious prize out of the mud. At present he has about 50 turtles in his cellar, ranging in size from 5 pounds up. At night a stranger would think the house haunted, as they get to fighting and falling over each other.

**True Enjoyment**

What constitutes recreation depends, of course, on the point of view of the one who is recreated. This anecdote shows what one small citizen thought enjoyable, says the Chicago Record-Herald.

A boy in a certain State school for dependent children wrote his father:

"Dear Papa:—We children are having a good time here now. Mr. Sager broke his leg and can't work. We went on a picnic and it rained and we all got wet. Many children here are sick with mumps. Mr. Higgins fell off the wagon and broke his rib, but he can work a little. The man that is digging the deep well whipped us boys with a buggy whip because we threw sand in his machine and made black and blue marks on us. Ernest cut his finger badly. We are all very happy."

**Left Land to God.**

Lawyers in Pennsylvania, searching for a title, accidentally came across an old deed, made more than 50 years ago, in which a man and his wife, stating their disgust of scrambles for property after a death of a relative, proceeded to deed their real estate to "God and His heirs in the Messiah Jesus". Since the discovery of the paper, the mystery of a vacant tract of 700 acres has been cleared away. People living around the unused land have often wondered why it was not utilized by its owners. Now they know. The State most likely will take the property over and dispose of it.


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**Modern Greek Patriots**

(From the London Times.)

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The hotel is full of returned bankers and wealthy merchants in the new khaki uniforms of private soldiers. Soft-living gentlemen most of these, who have not for years had their livers so seriously shaken as they are every day now in hard exercise on the hills of Attica after a chilly early morning parade. Some of them are frankly horrified at the prospect before them, for though little news from Yanina is given out, the wounded come in daily and the tales they tell are enough to freeze the blood. There are many losses, and there are many who come back with frost-bitten feet that have to be amputated.

Although far more reservists have arrived and coitinue to arrive than were ever expected, there are warm uniforms and good kits, with—best of all—good boots, for everybody; and the supply of Mannlichers and cartridges—a change this, from the old Gras rifle of four years ago!—never fails. Everybody is disposed of at once and finds his place. A trained American Greek complained bitterly the other day that on landing from New York at Athens he found himself posted to proceed next day to Yanina, "without having time to say 'Hello' to my old mother in Sparta." One wonders what the old lady would have thought of this unaccustomed form of greeting. These American Greeks, of whom there are many thousands, have earned a great reputation as fine soldiers, and seem to come next to the Cretans in order of merit.

**A Plant That Coughs**

All have read of the carnivorous plants, of laughing plants, and of plants that weep; but who has heard of a plant that coughs? There is the authority of a French botanist, however, for the statement that a plant in various tropical regions actually possesses the power to cough in the most approved manner. The fruit of this plant resembles the common broad bean. It appears that the coughing plant is something of a crank, that it easily works itself into a rage, and that it has a curious horror of all dust. As soon as a few grains of dust are deposited on its leaves, the air chambers that cover their faces and are the respiratory organs of the plant, become filled with gas, swell and end by driving out the gas with a slight explosion and a sound that resembles so much the cough of a child suffering from a cold as to carry a most uncanny sensation to the one beholding the phenomenon.—Tit-Bits.

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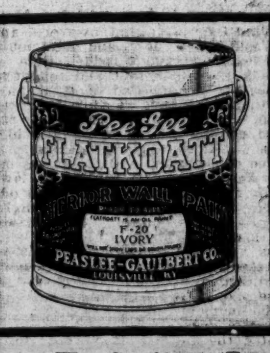


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# THE WEEK'S NEWS IN BRIEF

**Important Happenings, Day by Day, Compiled and Republished for the Benefit of the Busy Man and the Week-End Reader—New York Markets for Each Day of the Six.**

### SUNDAY.

New York markets: Money on call nominal. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.90. Flour dull. Wheat barely steady; No. 2 red 1.10 1-2 and 1.12. Corn steady, 58. Turpentine and rosin steady.

### TUESDAY.

Secretary Garrison's reports to President Wilson today continued to convey optimistic news of the flood situation in Ohio.

The case of Miss Zeelie Emerson, the American suffragette imprisoned in England and undertaking a hunger strike, is attracting great attention.

Currency reform will come to the attention of Congress soon after it assembles next week, as several bills will be ready for introduction at that time.

William D. Haywood, organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, was convicted of disorderly conduct and sentenced to six months in jail at Patterson, N. J., yesterday.

Considerable opposition has developed in the House to the plan of Democratic Leader Underwood to postpone the organization of practically all committees at the opening of the extra session of Congress.

Walter H. Page, editor of World's Work, has been tendered and has accepted the ambassadorship to Great Britain. President Wilson, will probably fill the remaining important posts before the extra session of Congress convenes.

The flood waters which have been doing so much damage in the Middle West are sweeping down the Ohio valley. Although the property damage will be immense, the loss of life will be small, owing to warnings having been issued.

J. Pierpont Morgan, whose condition has been grave for a week, died shortly after noon yesterday in Rome. His last resting place will probably be in the mausoleum in Hartford, Conn., which he erected some years ago in memory of his father and mother.

New York markets: Money on call strong, 5 1-2 to 7 per cent.; ruling rate and closing bid 6; offered at 7. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling upland 12.60. Flour quiet but steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red 1.10 1-2 and 1.12. Corn steady, 58. Turpentine quiet. Rosin easy.

### WEDNESDAY.

The Big Four levee at Cairo, Ill., went out yesterday afternoon.

A simple service will be held in Rome today over the body of J. P. Morgan.

The south levee at Shawneetown, Ind., was dynamited yesterday to protect the north levee.

J. P. Morgan's body was embalmed in Rome yesterday and prepared for shipment to the United States.

President Wilson conferred with Democratic Leader Underwood yesterday on several features of the proposed tariff revision bill.

Former President Taft yesterday returned to his alma mater, Yale University, to take up his duties as Kent Professor of Law. He was given a great ovation by the student body.

The Wilson cabinet yesterday discussed the China and Philippine questions, and it seems likely that this government will be one of the first to recognize the Chinese republic.

Senator Stillwell, of New York, yesterday refused to resign when requested to do so by Governor Sulzer and demanded that charges of extortion made against him be thoroughly investigated.

In arguing against a reduction in their rates before the Inter-State Commerce Commission yesterday, representatives of the principal express companies declared their business had been reduced 25 per cent. by the operation of the parcel post.

New York markets: Money on call strong, 3 1-2 to 6 per cent.; ruling rate 6; closing bid 4 1-4; offered at 4 1-2. Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 12.60. Flour quiet, but steady. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red 1.10 1-2 and 1.12. Corn steady; export 58 1-2. Turpentine easy. Rosin quiet.

### THURSDAY

The body of the late King George of Greece was yesterday laid to rest with impressive ceremonies.

President Wilson and members of the Ways and Means Committee have agreed upon removing all the duty from wool.

Robert M. Phillips, associate editor of the Greensboro Daily News, died suddenly yesterday at his country home in Carthage.

Bryan and Wilson conferred yesterday on plans for the formal recognition of the Chinese Republic, announcement of which will be made shortly.

The flood situation in parts of Kentucky was considered more serious yesterday, conditions at Paducah being especially grave. At Hickman all the levees were holding.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, placed on trial yesterday at Old Bailey Court House on the charge of inciting the burning of Lloyd-George's country home, pleaded not guilty and conducted her own case.

After a brief funeral service in the hotel in Rome where J. P. Morgan died, his body yesterday started on its last journey. It will be sent from Rome to Havre, France, and thence to the United States.

The most disquieting feature of the news from the Near East is the attitude of Montenegro. The Montenegrins have captured Tarabosch, the key to Scutari, after five months' fighting, but warships of the powers are gathering along the coast to compel her to give up the fruits of her labor.

New York markets: Money on call firm, 3 3-4 to 4 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate 4 1-2; closing bid 4 1-4; offered at 4 1-2. Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 12.60. Flour steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red 1.11 1-2 and 1.13. Corn quiet, 57 3-4 to 58. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

### FRIDAY.

The court that separated Mrs. F. Augustus Heinz from her husband, the copper king, will be asked to restore her to him in death.

To satisfy all factions in the Mexican melee, Gen. Huerta has agreed to the naming of Pedro Lascurain as provisional President.

The sentence of three years' penal servitude imposed on Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, leader of the militant suffragettes, has aroused the militants' fury and they threaten strong reprisals.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the leader of the militant suffragettes, was yesterday found guilty and sentenced to three years penal servitude on the charge of inciting persons to commit damage.

The special train bearing the body of J. P. Morgan arrived in Paris yesterday, where the funeral car was opened and wreaths placed on the coffin by the American ambassador and friends.

The tariff situation shifted to the Senate yesterday, the completion of the bill depending upon the success that may attend conferences of the President to reach an agreement with Senate leaders.

A German dirigible airship landed on French territory yesterday and was immediately seized by the French authorities. The German officers claimed they lost their way in the clouds and were compelled to land on acount of a defect in their motor.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 3 1-2 to 4 1-4 per cent; ruling rate 4; closing bid 3 3-4; offered at 4. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.60. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red 1.11 1-2 and 1.13. Corn firm, 59. Turpentine steady. Rosin quiet.

### SATURDAY

Four murderers were hanged at Montgomery, Ala., yesterday.

The city levee at West Hickman, Ky., went out of commission yesterday and completely flooded that suburb.

The Jockey Club, of New York, met yesterday and raised an "owner's purse, in order to revive horse racing in the Empire State.

As a protest to the sentence meted out to their leader, Mrs. Pankhurst, the English suffragettes burned another country house yesterday.

Representative Victor Murdock, of Kansas was nominated as the Progressive candidate for Speaker at the first caucus of the third party held yesterday.

The Japanese government has lodged a protest against the proposed enactment by the State of California of a measure prohibiting the alien ownership of land in California.

Miss Mabel Boardman, chairman of the Red Cross National Relief Committee, issued a comprehensive statement yesterday telling of the work of the Red Cross Society in the devastated sections of the Middle West.

Mrs. Lillian Olson, wife of Prof. Oscar Olson, took the stand in the defense of her husband at St. Paul, Minn., yesterday and admitted having had illicit relations with Clyde Darling, or whose murder Olson is on trial.

The Democratic tariff revision bill was completed last night with the exception of a final decision upon the sugar schedule. All duty will likely be removed or a one cent tax will be imposed for three years, after which time, it will be entirely removed.

New York markets: Money on call easier, 3 to 4 per cent; ruling rate 3 3-4; closing bid 3 1-4; offered at 3 1-2. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.60. Flour steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red 1.11 1-2 and 1.13. Corn steady, 59. Turpentine and rosin quiet.

## ..By the Wayside..

In a city the size of Wilmington—which is, by the way, the largest in North Carolina, and far more cosmopolitan than any other in the State—there is much given to charity—charity which becomes apparent because of physical suffering. The work of alleviating this suffering is a high duty of men and women who are not suffering for the necessities of life, for medical treatment and so forth. But there is a wide field for charity of a very practical kind which is largely hidden from those who are inclined, in the goodness of their hearts, to lend a helping hand to the weak. This field is filled up with the more ignorant classes of whites and blacks. It has to do with legal matters, questions of law, of rights and privileges.

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How much does the society or the church committee on charity know of the installment plan sharks who sell things to unlettered, unsophisticated, unthinking white and colored people, get payments on the stuff sold, give any or no kind of receipts, get the worth of the merchandise, and because of a delayed payment, take back the stuff that has been sold, and sell it over again to some other unlettered, unsophisticated, unthinking white or colored person? Nothing is known of it; just as little or nothing is known of the usury transactions, and of the haling to trial of wooden-headed people and scaring them into paying costs and fines—costs mostly—for imaginary violations of the law, or of violations that wouldn't amount to a row of pins in the clear light of a real court of justice. There are scores of instances of this and other sorts akin to the same variety, that could be set forth and specific instances given. Isn't there an opportunity for very practical charity here?

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Describing how these very helpless people are victimized, a citizen of the city was saying the other day, unboastfully, mind you, that he gave a considerable sum to charity of various kinds in the course of a year, but that he had about decided to cut it all out and lump his gifts, and organize a fund to employ a detective and a lawyer to catch and prosecute the sharks who prey upon the credulity and ignorance of the classes that by birth, environment, race and lack of opportunity, have been denied the mental weapons wherewith to defend themselves. And by George, he's dead right. This sort of thing has always appealed to the Waysider, and he'd like to see it in operation. There is nearly always an agency of sufficient ability to look after the physical needs and down-and-outs. There is never a sou to help out wage-earners who lose sight of their money as it slides down the capacious maw of all sorts of swindlers and crooks. Even when a poor man knows he has been robbed, he is barred from going to law about it, for he's got to pay a lawyer and guarantee costs and go to a bunch of expense before he starts; and he knows that, too, and so takes his medicine with never a word. The law in this land of the free and home of the crook is an expensive luxury and the smaller the wrong to be righted, the greater the cost is in proportion, and in the relative size of the aggrieved one's pocket book. A city the size of Wilmington ought to have a paid attorney, his salary made up by charity funds from believers in justice to all and privileges to none, to take up the complaints of poor folks, white and black, and thresh them out. The Waysider only makes about fifty or a hundred thousand dollars a year, but he has observed enough of the sort of things he's writing about, to cough up a few kopecks himself, to help pay an attorney for the poor."

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Fools, we are told, rush in where angels step lightly, if at all; and any man with a spark of reverence in him will approach a subject involving Deity or the work of Deity, with slow and cautious tread. There is a widespread belief among people that no matter what happens, Deity is back of it; and Deity is, but in the opinion of many, Deity stretches forth His hand and directly shapes events. A man swallows the germs of typhoid fever in the water or milk that he drinks, the raw oysters that he eats, or in some other food or drink—never in blind tiger whiskey, however—and gets sick and dies; and we mourn his departure and a wide circle of friends extend deepest and tenderest sympathy to his loved ones, all saying that God in His wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved brother. Now, the Waysider doesn't believe that God per se removed our brother at all. He does believe that God established certain laws to govern health and life, and that our brother, knowingly or unknowingly, violated one or more of these laws, and lost his life as a result. Very pious, very righteous and very learned men see in a great natural disaster the direct interposition of God, and to these people He appears as an agency for punishment in such instances. The Waysider doesn't see it that way. God created the universe and set it going by law, and it must be under the operation of these divinely-enacted laws that the great and inexplicable natural disasters occur, killing many and destroying much property. If it is not a result of the operation of law, then God breaks His own law to create these discords in the harmony of the elements. The Waysider cannot conceive that God would destroy a community of people containing perfectly good people and perfectly bad people. There might be some ground for the argument if a community was wholly and atrociously bad; but there are always good people in every community. And if there be one good, how about it?

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Most of the workers, the people who make the world turn around, if you please, do their stunts in daytime and go home at eve, to rest or loaf around and finally to sleep. There is a small band that does its devilment at night, included in its circle being newspaper folks and a few 'phone girls, hotel clerks, watchmen at the plants, hospital people, railroad men and worst of all, policemen. All these folks are fine people, and there is a spirit of comaraderie amongst them all that marks them as relatives. They work whilst other folks snore, and with jocular sarcasm refer to each other as "night hawks." Call up the central office sometime along about 1 o'clock A. M., and there is a sleepy but prompt response; at the newspaper office they never can get the time on straight, but say tonight when its this morning, and look at the clock before they make reference to time, and ask each other what day of the week is this. Pass a "copper" on the street and he looks weary and the other night when one swung off into the shades of Water street and was asked how long his beat was, he said ten blocks, and "ain't that a 'ell of a beat for a man? They could croak me and nobody would ever know it." There's a gatekeeper down at the union station who looks like a picture of sleep trying to stay awake. He snoozes between trains, which are mercifully bunched in some sort of style so a fellow can sleep a few of the twenty-four hours without waking. But doubtless in his dreams he is calling "track one, track two, track three; yes'm, the first car you reach; no'm, you can't take a bull dog in the car with you; yes, that's the checking office right there; yonder is the depot; no, that's just a shifting engine; I don't know when the new station will be finished, or what it cost; the Governor of the State used to be Kitchin but I don't remember the man's name who is now"—and so on, for they ask him a billion questions every five minutes.

### One-Legged By Champion Jumper.

In Robert Munger, 14 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Munger, of Pittsfield, his mother believes she has the champion one-legged jumper of the world.

In a recent contest against 42 competitors he won the high jump, clearing the bar at five feet, six inches.

Young Munger is a student at the William M. Mercer school, is fond of athletics and indulges in all sorts of sports. He lost his leg in Albany when he was seven years old. He was playing baseball beside railroad tracks and crowled under a freight train to recover a baseball and was caught by the wheels of a car.

He is strong and well developed. He is an excellent baseball catcher and at the Boys' Club is one of the best all-round members of the gymnasium team. He is the best swimmer of his age of the club.—Pittsfield (Mass.) Dispatch.

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## AGUINALDO FOR LAW

### Former Leader of Filipinos Is Against Insurrectos Now.

"There is no question in my mind of the ability of the Filipinos to govern themselves," remarked M. L. Southwick, an American, and former official of the Philippines, at the Willard.

"The Filipinos fitted to govern the islands far outnumber the white men who are acting as officials of the American government, and there can be no doubt that if the Filipinos were given their independence they would establish as stable a government as we have brought about under American control.

"I had occasion some time ago to be present at the trial of some men who were accused of being insurrectos. Their attorneys placed numerous witnesses on the stand to testify that the men were not insurrectos, and then they called the former leader Aguinaldo to confirm them. "Much to the surprise of the lawyers, Aguinaldo testified that the men were in fact insurrectos, and declared that it was doing the cause of the Filipinos infinite harm to misrepresent things. Of course the insurrectos were found guilty and punished.

There are many other men like Aguinaldo who would take hold of the Philippines and give the islands as good a government as we have given them.

"In the entire population of the Philippines there are probably not more than 300,000 who would qualify as voters, and these could be depended upon to keep their people in complete harmony and peace."

## INTERESTING EXPERIMENTS

### Opening of Vacuum Tubes Containing Standard Types of Cotton

The third annual opening of cotton samples, first stored in vacuum by the Department of Agriculture in 1910, took place recently. Careful practical and technical examination fails to disclose the slightest appreciable change in the cotton.

This result confirms the previous tests and renders it very certain that storage of standard types of cotton in vacuum tubes is a practical solution of the question of the permanency of such standards.

The United States official grades, as established by action of Congress, are stored at the Department of Agriculture at Washington in vacuum tubes to be opened from year to year and used as models for the sets of grades sold by the department in accordance with law.

The last Congress directed that the official grades be further improved through investigations of the waste, tensile strength, and bleaching qualities of the various grades.

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Toronto, March 31.—Two-thirds of the survivors of the Scott polar expedition will come here either gray-haired or bald. Aured Wright received today from his son, C. W. Wright, the physicist of the ill-fated company that sought the South pole, a letter which said this was the result of their hardships and sufferings.

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Key West, Fla., April 2.—The schooner Clifford N. Carven, from Newport News to Key West, coal laden, was reported ashore on Tennessee reef today. Boats have gone from Key West to render assistance.

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"Situate and lying in the City of Wilmington, County and State aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Third street sixty-six (66) feet Southwardly from where the Southern line of Chestnut street is intersected by the Eastern line of Third street; thence running Southwardly along the said Eastern line of Third street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Eastwardly and parallel with Chestnut Street two hundred and two (202) feet; thence Northwardly and parallel with Third Street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Westwardly and parallel with Chestnut Street two hundred and two (202) feet to the Eastern line of Third Street, the beginning; it being the western part of lots 1 and 2, in block 180 of the official plan of the City of Wilmington."

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JNO. W. GAFFORD, Administrator of Jas. H. Hewett, deceased.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

At the request of many voters and taxpayers, I hereby announce myself a candidate for Councilman from the First Ward. I stand for economy, equal rights and just taxation, and will require results for the money of the taxpayers expended during my term of office if elected. The support of all who are in accord with these views is earnestly solicited.

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Office of the Lighthouse Inspector, Charleston, S. C., until 12 o'clock M., April 28, 1913, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering fuel for vessels and stations in the Sixth Lighthouse District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, in accordance with specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information may be had upon application to the Lighthouse Inspector, Charleston, S. C. ap4,6,8-3t

### NOTICE

$25.00 Reward will be paid for evidence to convict any person or corporation who sets fire that burns any of my lands in this or any other county in this State. D. L. GORE, 120 N. Water Street, Wilmington, North Carolina.


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## EX-SPEAKER CANNON

(By T. W. Chambliss.)

The rise to fame of Joseph G. Cannon, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, is not a story of spectacular interest and yet there are some incidents in the early life of this man—recently retired to private life and quiet after years of leadership in National affairs—that are distinctly interesting. Joseph G. Cannon was the second son of a physician, a resident of Guilford County, North Carolina. He came from Quaker stock and his father was of Massachusetts stock, descending from a family who sought the quiet and peace of North Carolina in order to escape persecution.

The journey from a clerkship in a country store to the Speaker's desk in Congress was the journey of a determined character, and its several steps were those of a tireless worker. Several years ago ex-Speaker Cannon remarked to a writer who was investigating the condition of affairs in the National government: "I don't know but that I'd have you study 20 years before you write." This advice was the result of the very life of the Speaker. He, himself, had gone about his work thoroughly, systematically, and to all appearances slowly. The ground covered by Joseph G. Cannon during those years was enormous. Every effort undertaken was based upon arduous and exhaustive preparation, in other work leading to it.

The father of Joseph G. Cannon was left a penniless orphan in infancy and it is said that two maiden Quaker women adopted him and supported him until he became of age when he studied medicine. Joseph was born in Guilford county in 1836. The Quakers were opposed to slavery and their protestations brought them trouble. The South to which they had come to escape the persecution of New England was no longer a haven of peace, and many of them, including Dr. Cannon moved to the North. The Cannons settled at Annapolis, Indiana, on the Wabash river. It is told that Dr. Cannon had three sons, the eldest was in college, and there came to the family deep sorrow. The father, Dr. Cannon was drowned. The second son, Joseph, 15 years of age, had shown a spirit of self-reliance and it was decided to keep the eldest in college and Joseph found employment in a hardware store. The pay for the first year was $100. The youngest son was nearsighted and unable to find employment at that time.

Five years passed and young Cannon has earned $1,000. More than this he has saved one-half of it and has $500 in cash. He decided to study law. His employers urged him to remain with them and even offered him a partnership if he would continue in the business. The story is that young Cannon had attended court and the trial of a slander suit had attracted his attention and aroused in him an intense ambition to study law. He recognized the attendant privations and accepted them and endured them. He went to Terre Haute, Ind., and entered the office of John P. Usher. His capital was the savings account of $500. Working in this office two years and then taking a law course of six months prepared Joseph G. Cannon for the admittance to his chosen profession.

Young Cannon had never been in a city until he went to Cincinnati to the law school. He was a stranger to the allurements of city life but those six months opened a new world to his mind, the result was a broadened view of the future. It occurred to him to locate in Cincinnati but he turned away and Tuscola, Ill., became the home of the young attorney. It was up-hill work the first year and the fact of the business was that Joseph G. Cannon did not earn sufficient money to pay his board bill. At that time the attorneys "rode the circuit" but Mr. Cannon could not afford a horse and he made his way on foot, tramping across the prairies from court to court. This was really the better for him, however, for he managed to pick up quite a little business as he met the people. It was not remunerative business but it helped him to get the start which was so necessary. Some of the early fees would cause a smile today. Farm truck, and groceries and on one occasion, two hams and again a side of veal and a pair of trousers. It is a matter of history that the trousers were much too large and that the young attorney had them altered, before he could use them.

Young Cannon was a determined fellow and on one occasion, he had an appointment with a client. Cannon waited and the client did not come and so Cannon went after the client.

"Why didn't you come to see me?" said Cannon when he had found his man.

"Oh," answered the client, "I found that I could afford to pay a larger fee and so I employed another lawyer."

The little incident seemed to have a peculiar effect upon Mr. Cannon and instead of giving a sour turn to his disposition, he remembered in after years to be ever ready to help the man who was trying to get a start. Many years after the incident a young lawyer remarked:

"Uncle Joe knows how to help a fellow because he was up against it himself, when he was starting."

Better things came to Joseph G. Cannon in the second year and he was able to pay his debts and make a scant living. Then he entered politics and on the stump he made a hit. He would get a hold on the people, going directly after them. He won fame with the party managers and at the same time held the esteem and regard of the people. His practice being established, Joseph G. Cannon decided to make a home and he married an Ohio girl and together they started with their home-making, a four-room cottage at Tuscola. Mr. Cannon built the house and then with his wife went to Chicago to buy the furniture. They selected the department store of Potter Palmer and the clerk who sold them their furniture was Marshall Field, later the head of the big business. The furniture was paid for with a part of $300 which amount Mr. and Mrs. Cannon carried with them to Chicago when they started on the shopping trip.

On their return, Joseph G. Cannon proudly led his young wife to the four-room cottage and as they walked from one room to another he said proudly, "Mary, I don't think a young couple could ask for a better start in life." The wife did her own work and as State's attorney, Mr. Cannon earned $1,500 a year until 1868 and they considered themselves prosperous. Between 1868 and 1872 Mr. Cannon worked hard at his private practice and it was good. In the meantime, that near-sighted brother had gone into the banking business and with his brother's money as an investment had succeeded well.

It was in 1872 that Joseph G. Cannon was pushed for the Congressional nomination and he not only won that but was elected after a lively campaign and through the years that followed with the exception of one term, he remained until this session, a member of the House. He says that the salary has never been sufficient to meet his expenses but that during those 40 years several hundred thousand dollars of his money has been expended. It is not the purpose of the writer of this sketch to comment on the record of ex-Speaker Cannon but is sufficient to say that he has made a mark in the history of the country. He is an example of a man who began at the bottom and reached the summit.


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